

Date Set To Call Santa Claus At The North Pole

Once again children of this area will be able to call Santa Claus at the North Pole. The Canyon Community Recreation Council has made arrangements with the telephone company for a direct wire to the North Pole again this year.

It has been reported that contact was made with Santa Claus at the North Pole Monday, December 3rd. At this time he informed the Recreation Council he would stand by his phone for all calls from Canyon on December 21 and 22.

Children wishing to talk with the jolly old fellow simply have to pick up their telephone on these two days and ask the Canyon operator for Santa Claus at the North Pole.

This particular program was carried out last year with such excellent results that it is being repeated again this year. In fact, the program has attracted nation-wide attention. Cecil Massey, who made arrangements for the program last year and has also made arrangements again this year, has received numerous telephone calls, telegrams and letters in connection with the program. There was an article about the program in the annual Recreation Council's report. It was reprinted in Recreation, a national publication.

Recently Mr. Massey had a telephone call from Washington, D. C., asking permission to reprint the article in Pathfinder Magazine. There was also a New York City telephone call asking for the release of the story through one of the national wire services.

In still another instance Hosea Foster received a clipping that had been published in the Atlanta Journal and the clipping was about the Christmas Program.

The story is also to be published in "The Key," a national youth magazine published in Austin, as well as a magazine called "World for Children."

Massey reports that communities from the New England States to Vallejo, Calif., have contacted him and asked permission to use the idea in their locality.

Fires Recall the Dangers in Other Counties

There have been many fires in Canyon during the past week, largely grass fires which might have developed into something more tragic.

The fire boys were called to the court house just before 6 o'clock Monday afternoon when a fire was discovered in the boiler room of the building. Rags which had been used for cleaning were on fire.

A small amount of water extinguished the flames.

This is the third fire which has been discovered in the court house during the past year, but fortunately no great damage was done in any of these fires. Since there have been a number of court house fires in which buildings were completely destroyed during recent months, and in view of the fact that records of the county would probably be destroyed in case of fire, citizens of Canyon have been somewhat worried after the possibilities of fire in the building.

November Building Permits Total More Than \$40,000 Here

During the month of November building permits in Canyon climbed to \$41,700. This is more than a 400 per cent increase over the building permits issued during the month of October.

City Hall records show eight building permits were issued for residences during the month of November. There was also a permit issued for one garage. During the month of October there were only two permits issued for residences; one permit for a service station and one permit for an apartment house.

Cold weather has been named as one of the greatest obstacles to building in this vicinity. The month of October saw temperatures dip to the frigid low of 26 degrees. With November there came a bit of cold weather, but it soon cleared and there was a return of lovely Indian Summer.

Building permits started a steady climb early in November and kept climbing during the entire month. Two of the residences which were issued permits during November exceeded \$10,000.

Since July the Canyon building permits have scooted up and down the scale from almost \$100,000 to slightly over \$10,000. In July the building permits were \$44,500. Then in August building sky rocketed to \$92,300, and dropped to \$88,000 in September. During the month of October there was a total of four permits issued and the total ended at \$10,100.

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Rotten Eggs Are Unloaded To The Local Grocers

During the past few months Canyon grocers have been flooded with rotten eggs. An investigation into the source of the eggs was carried out by the local sheriff's department, and it was revealed as being a well known Amarillo Produce Company.

The sheriff's department had little information to divulge on the matter at this time. It is known that almost a dozen people are involved in the deal of passing the bad eggs on to local grocers. In most cases fictitious names were used in signing the tickets at various grocery stores.

As a general rule grocers candle the eggs before buying them. This is a process of checking the eggs with a light to determine whether or not they are bad. The cases of eggs which were being sold to the grocers had a few layers of good eggs on top and all those underneath were bad. To produce men this system is called planning.

At the time of buying, the grocers usually checked a few eggs from the top layers and bought the eggs as being good. In most cases the eggs were candled after they had been purchased and this prevented most of them from reaching the public.

Local grocers have sustained quite a loss because of the bad eggs, but the source has been located. As yet there has been no charges filed but the sheriff's department reports that possibly several charges will be filed later.

Bad Check Charge Filed in Justice Of Peace Court

Last week Sheriff M. E. Cantrell was investigating bad checks which bore the signature of one Eugene Baker. Earlier in the month of November a \$10 check had been given to Hall's Restaurant. The check was dated Nov. 3; was drawn on the First National Bank of Amarillo, and was worthless. An investigation showed that one Brian J. Wulf had written the check, as well as several others which were signed Eugene Baker.

At present Wulf is being held in an Amarillo jail while the investigation to determine how many other bad checks he has written is being continued. The accused man has made a statement in which he confesses passing the worthless check at Hall's. Other checks with the familiar signature of Eugene Baker are appearing in various places.

A statement rendered by Wulf to the sheriff's department here is concise and only deals with the worthless check given to Hall's. In it the accused says, "I knew this was wrong to cash a check like this and I knew it was against the law. I do not know anyone by the name of Eugene Baker. This was just a name I made up and did not have the consent from anyone to use the name of Eugene Baker."

At present the accused is in the Potter County jail serving a misdemeanor term of 60 days. Charges were filed against him here Friday in Justice of the Peace Court. Trial will come for the accused here when he is released to the local authorities, the sheriff's department reported.

J. F. Taylor Returns From Extensive Trip

Jno. F. Taylor, president of the Plateau Singing Convention, has just returned from a trip throughout Texas and New Mexico. On his trip he helped organize other singing groups and attended the Plateau Singing Convention in New Mexico. This is Mr. Taylor's second trip this fall, the first being to Boston, Mass., to visit his daughter in October.

The Plateau Singing Convention is a group of singers from throughout this Panhandle area who gather monthly for an old fashion singing. The Canyon group met recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Marsh to practice for the coming convention. Fried chicken was served to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Green, Pat Holland, Sharen Green, and Mr. Taylor.

John Menke Wins at State Baptist Meet

John David Menke, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Menke of Amarillo, was the youngest state winner at the Baptist Convention in Waco on November 23.

The contest was in Junior memory demonstration.

Buy, Build, Live in Canyon!

December Issues Of Canyon News Are Announced

The Canyon News will be published on Wednesdays during December as usual, except for the last issue of the paper, just before Christmas, which will be published Monday.

Since Christmas falls on Tuesday there have been various plans advanced about the holiday. All business will be suspended for Tuesday.

A few of the business houses favor taking Monday and Tuesday off; while others want to take Tuesday and Wednesday off. So far no definite plan has been devised.

However, The Canyon News will be published on Monday and will carry Christmas greetings to our readers. We have a large supply of new Christmas greetings on hand, and every firm in Randall county is urged to come by and pick out the greetings which they wish to use in this final edition of the year.

New Year Greetings will be carried on the first issue of January.

Amarillo Pair Charged With Calf Theft

Two Amarillo men were arrested last week and held in Hereford jail on a charge of calf stealing. The two are Joe Lovett and Arthur Morris. Lovett's bond was set at \$3,000, and Morris' bond was set at \$1,500.

The old model Plymouth sedan which the pair used was brought to Canyon and left in front of the sheriff's office last Friday and Saturday. Authorities found traces of calf hair and believed the car may have been used in connection with other calf thefts.

Both of the men confessed to the theft of a calf northwest of Dawn early Friday morning. The calf had been slaughtered, apparently for butchering purposes, and each man accused the other of having killed the animal. The pair was apprehended during the process of preparing the calf for beef.

It was about 1:00 a. m. in the morning when a lone motorist was driving down the rural road. He saw the calf and a short distance down the road there was a parked car. He reported the incident to the Hereford sheriff who went out and made the arrest.

The following day an investigation in the vicinity of Dawn showed that the 400 pound calf had been shot. It also appeared that the calf had been bludgeoned and authorities recalled that an axe had been in the rear of the auto.

When the pair was questioned they claimed they could recall nothing because they were intoxicated at the time. When Texas Rangers talked to the men one of them made a confession. Later a 12 gauge shotgun was recovered that was supposedly used in shooting the calf. Plaster casts were made of tire marks and they matched the tires on the car in which the two were apprehended.

Authorities are hopeful in clearing up more cases of this type of theft before they are through with the investigation started during this case.

Local Firemen Ask Cooperation To Prevent Fires

An alarming number of small fires have made their appearance in Canyon during the last few days. It was reported that at least a half-dozen fires occurred between Saturday afternoon and 4:00 p. m. Tuesday. One fire was reported Saturday afternoon; Sunday there were two fires; there was the courthouse fire Monday, which did no damage but caused lots of excitement, and Tuesday there were two more fires.

Majority of these fires were grass fires and according to the fire department could have been prevented. In fact, in a recent class being attended in Amarillo by local firemen, it was disclosed that only 2 per cent of all fires are started from unpreventable sources.

More than half-a-dozen of the local firemen are attending this 15 hour class in fire prevention being conducted by Jim Fogaley of Texas A&M College.

Those known to attend the class are: Bill Sternenberg, Lee Foster, K. E. Frieze, W. D. Walker, Bob Gough, Tom Brasher, Harold T. Prichard and Clark Jarnagin.

During the course of the class it was pointed out that most people in small communities did not know the correct procedure to follow in turning in a fire alarm. Sternenberg said that in Canyon the fire siren is sounded from the telephone operators' office. When giving a fire alarm the person is asked to be sure of the address, call the operator and the alarm will be sounded. The volunteer fire department will act upon the information given to the local telephone operator.

Cooperation of the public is requested in the time and manner of burning trash. It was pointed out that fires should be closely watched until it is completely out.

King Resigns Position as Chief of Police

Announcement was made last week of the resignation of John King as Chief of Police of Canyon. The resignation was effective Monday, November 26.

King had held the position of Chief of Police since August 11th of this year. At that time he filled the position which had formerly been held by Charlie Oates.

No announcement was forthcoming as to who might be the Chief of Police to replace King. Neither was there an announcement concerning the future activities of King.

New Water Man Takes Over Work

George Lawson has been named water superintendent of Canyon has taken over his job. He has been with Southwestern Public Service Co. in Borger as water specialist.

Roy Franklin, who has been water superintendent, resigned to accept a position with the Curtis Plumbing Co.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stratton left Monday for Los Angeles, Calif., to attend the wedding of their son, Charles A. Stratton and Miss Hazel Monk, on December 8.

Mud Slinger



Huge Christmas Program and Tree Planned by C. of C.

The Chamber of Commerce is planning a delightful Christmas Program. They have made arrangements to have Santa Claus present to pass out candy to the children.

Every effort has been made to give the program the full spirit of Christmas. Christmas carols will be played, and there will be an opportunity for the crowd to join in community singing.

The entire courthouse area will provide the setting for the program. There'll be a giant Christmas tree brilliantly lighted and decorated in a lovely fashion located in front of the courthouse.

Atop the courthouse will blaze the nativity scene that attracted so much attention last year. Additional work has gone into the nativity scene this year to make it even better than last Christmas.

Hospital News

R. A. Burrus, surgical
Helen Jane Cook, medical
Mrs. Meredith Ashby, surgical
Mrs. H. S. Fuller, surgical
George Nance, surgical
Lou Ella Patterson, surgical
Mrs. A. R. Jarrett, surgical
L. H. Fowler, medical
Mrs. Leo Scott, medical
Mrs. Ben Koch, surgical
L. C. Fronabarger, surgical
Mrs. O. E. Silver, medical
Mrs. E. G. Gough, surgical
Carlene Holden, surgical
Mrs. James M. White, accident
M. B. McGaughey, medical

Students
Pat Roark, medical
Mary Louise Manning, medical
Jeanette Richardson, medical
Jean Low, medical
Pfc. Ronald E. Boling, medical
Pat Duzan, medical
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Camp are the parents of a son arriving November 29.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bender are the parents of a daughter born December 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrain Haiduk are the parents of a daughter arriving December 2.

Cooking School Thursday, Friday Draws Big Crowd

It was a great success! Speaking of the Cooking School, naturally.

More than 300 women crowded into the American Hall Thursday and Friday to attend the Second Annual Cooking School which was put on by the Southwestern Public Service Company, sponsored by The Canyon News.

Miss Fern Brannen was in charge of the demonstration Thursday afternoon. Miss Fern Carver conducted the class Friday afternoon. They were assisted by Miss Joanna Bannister.

Dealers in electrical equipment had displays in the Legion Hall which were inspected by many of the visitors.

Pictures are shown of the Cooking School on another page of this issue of The News.

60th Anniversary Of Local Lodge To Be Celebrated

The Canyon City Lodge Number 730 A. F. & A. M. of Canyon will celebrate its 60th anniversary next Tuesday, December 11. The celebration is scheduled to begin at 7:30 p. m. in the Lodge Hall. An interesting program has been arranged.

This lodge has been in continuous operation for 60 years. The W. M. feel that the Brethren should get together in commemoration of the events of its birthday.

A special honor is planned for Masons who have been members of the Masonic order for 40 years or more. Any Master Mason who has been a member for 40 years or longer, is urged to have that friend at this 60th anniversary celebration.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Lloyd Earl Smith and Rita Maude Gunter, November 30.

Miss Velma Boston of Dallas visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Boston and brother, Murray Boston, and family. Miss Boston is on the staff of the office of Federal Security Agency in Dallas.

Mrs. John Warlick and Mrs. M. L. Currie and granddaughter, Donna Kay Corbell of Amarillo were Monday dinner guests of Mrs. Maud Cates.

New Field House Is Dedicated Monday

The new Athletic Building on the campus was dedicated Monday night when the Phillips "66" team of Bartlesville, Okla., defeated the Buffaloes 67 to 44.

The Phillips team is composed entirely of college graduates, who were stars during their college careers.

The Buffaloes took fine care of themselves during the first half, leading most of the way. The Oilers came back in the second period, wearing down the Buffs after several of the leading Bison players had fouled out of the game.

Buff's held the big Bob Kurkland to 12 points, before the seven footer left the game almost completely fagged out. The Buffs had staged a hard fight throughout the game, never giving up in spite of the odds against which they played.

The Buffs will meet the University of New Mexico at Buffalo Gym Wednesday night.

Borger High School defeated Tucumcari High in a curtain opener.

Practically all of the 4,000 seats in the new gym had been sold in spite of the fact that the spectators expected the Phillips team to win.

As a prelude to the game, the Field House was dedicated. It is a \$400,000 building, construction on which has been delayed for a year because of labor and material shortages.

Dr. Jack Walker was in charge of the ceremonies to dedicate the building. Walker introduced many visitors, with President James P. Cornette, Dr. J. A. Hill, Senator Grady Hazlewood, Regent Newton Harrell and Mitchell Jones, chairman of the athletic committee, speaking briefly.

Last Dollar Day of 1951 Comes Friday

Once more Dollar Day values are coming to Canyon shoppers. This will be the last opportunity folks will have to enjoy Dollar Day values this year. This particular day of values falls at a very good time for folks to do some early Christmas shopping and save.

Several months ago Canyon merchants started giving Dollar Day values to local shoppers and others who desired to come to town for the bargains. Various obstacles slowed down the success of the movement for a month or so. Bad weather was one of the causes of retarded business on Dollar Day. The fact that the wheat harvest failed also contributed to getting the Dollar Day movement off to a slow start.

However, the majority of merchants had anticipated such obstacles and they were simply taken in stride. Neither life nor business is a total bed of roses, and this was understood by Canyon's business men. They continued offering Dollar Day Values. Now it appears as if the movement is on a permanent basis. With a brand New Year coming in within the next 30 days, most people are looking forward to a brand new kind of success for the Dollar Day movement in Canyon.

Rotary Anns Will Be Entertained at Local Club Tuesday

Next Tuesday will be Rotary Ann meeting of the Canyon Rotary Club. There will be no noon meeting of the club.

L. F. Sheffy was in charge of the program Tuesday, giving an interesting discussion on "Wars as Turning Points in History." There has always been two ideals of government; one by force, and the other by reason. The annals of history are filled with wars between these two ideals of government and they are continuing in the present day.

Dr. Sheffy discussed the various wars in the world since the 16th century, giving their significance in the relationship between nations of the world. Hardly a war has ever been fought, whether on a local scale or world wide, which has not in one way or another affected the whole world. We have reached a climax in the history of the world to decide whether to use force or reason in the governments of the world. If we decide to use force, we face a period of the dark ages for many centuries to come, stated Dr. Sheffy.

Visitors were C. E. Terry, Tulsa; A. B. Haynes, Jr., Canyon; A. R. Jarrett, Temple, Okla.; Henry M. Rockwell, Houston; E. Kancher, Frank Storm, Jr., Oran Thomas and Forrest Barnes, all of Amarillo.

Visitors in the Carl W. Smith home Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pope and family of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Lockney of Lockney, and Mrs. Maggie Tinnin and Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Watson.

Large Crowd at Opening of Road Palo Duro Park

Another record crowd attended the program Sunday afternoon at the Palo Duro State Park for the official opening of the new highway in the Park. While this road has been in use for several weeks, it was not officially recognized by state officials until Sunday.

Frank Quinn, chairman of the Texas State Parks Board, was here from Austin and spoke regarding the development of the parks system in Texas.

John McCarty presided at the program which was put on at crossing No. 1 and attended by several hundred persons.

The Army Air Force Band from Amarillo played a 30 minute program, following which members of the Advisory Committee, state officials, and prominent citizens of the Panhandle were introduced.

Various forms of entertainment were provided which included dances by the Kwadadi Indians, Hereford mounted square dance, and motorcycle stunts.

Paving Crew Has Completed Work on Local Streets

The paving job in Canyon has been completed by the contractor since all of the money voted in the recent bond issue has been used. The contractors have been here this week cleaning up the job, and will remove the equipment immediately.

No alleys were paved at this time in spite of the bad condition of alleys around the business section of Canyon.

Mrs. E. P. Wesley Died Thursday at The Family Home

Mrs. E. P. Wesley, 67, died Thursday at the family home south of the public schools where she has been in poor health for several months. The family has lived in Randall county for 60 years.

Funeral services were held at the Fairview Church Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Marvin McBrayer, pastor of the Happy Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. A. L. Shaw.

Interment was in the Wayside Cemetery under the direction of the Griggs-Warren Funeral Home. Pall bearers were Woodrow Wesley, Mack Rogers, Luther Wesley, Lee Wesley, Berle Rogers, and Frank Rogers.

Mrs. Wesley is survived by her husband, E. P. Wesley; five sons, H. R. and A. E. Wesley of Amarillo, E. M., C. M. and M. S. Wesley of Canyon; one daughter, C. O. Brown of Amarillo; 14 grandchildren; 8 great grandchildren; 1 brother, R. S. Rogers of Lexington, Okla. Two children preceded her in death.

Mrs. Wesley was a member of the Methodist Church in Wayside.

Earl Craig Called To Abilene on Sudden Death of His Father

Earl L. Craig, Director of the Church of Christ Bible Chair at West Texas State College, was called to Abilene last Wednesday night, November 30, due to the sudden death of his father, N. H. Craig, former resident of Canyon and also the father of C. T. Craig, a former student of West Texas State; and the grandfather of Calvin Craig, also a former student at W. T.

The Earl Craig family returned to Canyon on Friday following the funeral services which were held at the Northside Church of Christ in Abilene on Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Local Men Attend Tax Conference

E. T. Cummings and Dr. Lee Johnson attended the Tax Accounting Conference in Lubbock last week. The conference was sponsored by the Northwest and Panhandle districts of Texas Associations of Public Accountants.

Cummings reported that approximately 250 accountants were present. Principal speaker at the program was J. T. Logan of Fort Worth. The conference was mainly to clear up issues concerning 1951 income tax and the new tax laws.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Thompson returned to Austin Sunday after spending a few days with Mrs. Thompson's father, L. C. Moreman, who recently underwent an operation in an Amarillo hospital.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS

A Few Observations As The Days Roll By

In this passing world, rapidly passing to be more correct, there are so many things happening, and so rapidly in parade that the writer wonders what may be true as press time rolls around.

What may be true this Thursday, may be entirely false by next Wednesday.

There is no end of material at hand for discussion, but the trouble is that every reader has probably made up his mind about current events, and his mind is not likely to be changed by any foolish or wise words which may be printed on this page.

Take the terrible accident of Wednesday as an example. This was tragic in the lives of many, many folks right here on the Plains. The count now stands at eight students killed in car wrecks during the past three years.

Who is to blame?

Not the college, since no one connected with the institution had anything to do about the deaths of these fine young persons.

Not the community, since it has been hammered into the heads of all drivers that they should drive carefully.

Perhaps not even the students who were killed. Some may not have been fully aware of the dangers of the highways. Yet these dangers are ever present.

Not faulty construction of the highways, since Texas is doing everything in its power to provide safe and sound highways over which the citizens may carefully ride, either on business or for pleasure.

These accidents are the mysteries of life, and no one knows the answers.

The newspaper merger in Amarillo was finally announced Thursday although details of the transaction was worked out several weeks ago.

We have no opinion to offer. Those fellows who run the papers up there are much smarter newspaper men than we are, and with years of experience behind them, they will make a success of the change.

While both institutions had plenty of money back of them, it was silly to continue the heavy loss which is connected with two big newspaper ventures. The owners could stand these losses, but why continue when there was a way out?

In this day of high prices, it takes a venturesome and foolish person to start an opposition newspaper in any man's town.

From observations of several years, we find that few opposition papers are a success. After the ambitious owners lose their shirts, they decide that they are not nearly so anxious to "save the world."

It is hard enough to make ends meet in the newspaper field, under favorable circumstances, but believe me, today is the toughest situation that we have ever witnessed.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Warren of the *Post Dispatch* stopped by *The Canyon News* office the other day to exchange ideas. Eddie is noted as one of the super dupe publishers of West Texas. He has one of the finest equipped plants in the Southwest. While his town is not large, and he operates in a drought-stricken section, he is making a wonderful success of his business.

Personally we would not give the hole in any doughnut for the chances for peace in Korea.

We used to believe the Reds. Today we put them down as the greatest set of liars in the world. They have been playing a fast game of obstruction to the ideas of the peace loving nations. The Reds are bleeding America dry of resources, and Washington does not have enough sense to realize it.

General MacArthur begged for permission to bomb the Reds in China, and to use the Chinese soldiers on Formosa.

The fancy pants in the State Department said "no" for fear of offending Moscow. Imagine that, offending the very bunch which is directing the war and causing us all of this grief.

The President took a slap at the press, which has brought a swift retaliation from the various agencies who handle authentic news.

Truman is out to "get" the press. He does not like the way his pets have been exposed. The greed and graft of his administration is being exposed, and Truman is sore about it.

Will the voters of America do something about it, or will they shrug their shoulders and give Truman another "mandate" to continue his program?

Senator Taft and his Democratic opponent in Ohio performed in Washington the other day, cussing and discussing the various phases of the election last year. Each accused the other of having spent great sums of money on their campaigns. That is "good politics." When your opponent comes up with a charge, just as the Democratic opponent of Taft made, the Senator at once came right back with the same charge of over-spending.

We have no idea as to the amount of money spent in this campaign, but we do know that a considerable sum was raised right here in Texas and sent to the Taft headquarters. Whether this money did no good is questionable.

At least Taft won, in spite of the opposition of the White House and CIO labor leaders.

Unless Eisenhower runs, Taft will be the GOP nominee.

God help America with Truman and Taft in the race.

The predictors are again out, stronger than ever. It is reported from Rome that Eisenhower states he will return to America in February to offer for the presidency.

A movement is under way in Texas for the General.

These predictors may be all wet, but as we see it just now, Eisenhower is the only one who can head off the Truman-Taft combination.

Our atom bombs are still being used on the desert sands of Nevada rather than upon the Reds of Moscow. That is a safe distance away, and suits the Reds fine. Several million dollars goes up in smoke with every blast.

This has been a hectic week --- a little more than usual, here at *The News* office. First came the big Thanksgiving issue, with its holiday; then followed the Cooking School, which was quite an event; now

comes Dollar Day; and next comes Christmas. You will see in another place our schedule for December. On top of that, we have printed more Christmas cards this early than ever before. We still have a big selection.

Canyon may be the home of two District Governors next year. Herschel Coffee has been offered by the Canyon Rotary Club as a candidate for District Governor from this service club; and Milton Morris has been entered as the candidate from the Canyon Lions Club for District Governor.

It would be a fine recognition of the ability of Canyon service clubs should both be elected for the coming year.

The Rotary election will end December 15, and the Lions will select a Governor about the middle of May.

Luck to both of these fine citizens.

The Legislature is attempting to run the affairs of Texas. Various bills were introduced upon all kinds of subjects, taking away from the authorized agencies their former powers and vesting them with the legislature.

Among the provision is that all state institutions send their money to Austin, instead of depositing these funds in local banks. So much confusion exists that a meeting will be held in Austin soon to try and work out the details of some of these provisions.

We are getting too much government in America.

The boys at Austin are demanding that they run everything in the state, while the boys in Washington take it for granted that the federal government knows more about running your personal affairs than any one else in this cock-eyed world.

What we shall see, is what we shall see. One of these days strong men will arise and put the government back in the hands of the people, where it belongs.

However, let's face the situation candidly. Our government has assumed all of these powers simply because we, the average citizens, have been so lazy, and shown such a lack of initiative that we have allowed powers to slip away from us.

With money plentiful, it is a good time to advise people not to buy too rapidly or pay too much; it is much easier to assume a debt than it is to pay it off.

It's funny, but there are always some people, in any community, who are always willing to be a candidate for whatever happens to be open at the time.

The man who has two sets of moral standards, one at home and one on convention trips, has two sets of standards in other things as well.

Note to hard workers: It costs less to eat regularly now than to report to the doctor regularly later, when perhaps it is already too late.

Aid to European nations is advisable on the basis of banking; it pays to assist your customers through a temporary period of hard times.

Assuming for the sake of argument that movies are better than ever, that still leaves us with the problem of improving them.

We would all agree that money is one of the commodities about which we cannot say, "A little of that goes a long way."

The whiz who is always on the verge of making a million dollars never realizes he has to make a thousand dollars first.

There are some operators in life who believe in the principle that they should never let their credit go unused.

It is a great temptation to agree with certain people rather than engage in a hopeless discussion and waste one's time.

This is the time of the year to be thinking up some good resolutions. The year 1952 is just around the corner.

If you know a human who is a better friend than your dog, we would suggest you keep in touch with him.

Alert school children of Canyon are acutely aware that it is less than a month to the Christmas holidays.

If you disagree with the editorials in this newspaper, you have a half chance of being right.

Civil rights were never intended to give anybody the right to force himself upon other persons.

What has happened to those band concerts on Sunday afternoon we used to listen to?

Too many specialists, not enough broadened personalities, make for narrow viewpoints.

Proper advertising will often sell a poor product; it will invariably sell a good one.

Few of us know our real friends until we meet with misfortune or difficulty.

More than one person has become wealthy merely by being polite.

Everyone is a coward, about some things, and justly so.

Russian communist mice enjoy scaring capitalistic elephants.

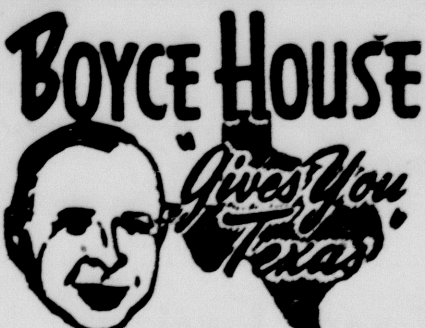
Most people devote too much of their time to non-essentials.

So far, no politician has predicted defeat for his party.

Our idea of a plutocrat is one who has breakfast in bed.

To be able to read is not the same as to know what to read.

People who are always tired should take a vacation.



Some men think it is the height of achievement, or distinction, or sum'p'n to be called by their first name by the head-waiter in a New York cafe.

The historic Menger Hotel in San Antonio, established almost a century ago, has been rebuilt—to a considerable extent — and enlarged. The old lobby with its antique furniture has been retained as a showplace but a spacious, luxurious, ultra-modern lobby has been built. There, canaries chirp and parrots caw. One wall consists entirely of large windows which give a view of the patio, filled with semi-tropical trees, shrubs and vines.

How did the expression "poor as Job's turkey" originate? Thomas Chandler Haliburton (born in 1796) wrote under the name of "Sam Slick." (My grandfather used to quote him and chuckle.) Sam declared that Job's turkey was so poor, he had only one feather in his tail and had to lean against the fence to gobble.

In Ardmore, Okla., there is an ice cream stand which advertises, "50 Flavors." Me, I'm a strawberry addict myself.

And there's an establishment which has the intriguing name of "Jim's (or maybe it's Joe's) Alibi."

Best known citizen of Ardmore is Hardy Murphy, who originated the beautiful horse act which has been so widely copied by rodeo performers featuring "The End of the Trail" and the scene which the horse breaks his leg by stepping in a prairie dog hole and the heart-broken cowboy tries to shoot him, but can't. Murphy is president of the Ardmore Roundup Club, is the generalissimo of the Ardmore rodeo, still owns Silver Cloud (the magnificent horse which starred with him) and when Hardy isn't busy with some civic undertaking, he sells real estate—and he sells lots of lots, too.

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Report, issued by American Federation of Teachers: "Teachers' take-home pay was actually less in 1950-51 than it was in 1938-39."

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TO: William L. McCollough Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 47th District Court in and for Randall County at the Court House thereof, in Canyon, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 24th day of December A. D. 1951, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 8th day of November A. D. 1951, in this cause, numbered 2375 on the docket of said court and styled Thelma McCollough Plaintiff, vs. William L. McCollough Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

Plaintiff alleges she is a resident citizen of Randall County and that she is suing the Defendant for a divorce on the alleged grounds of cruel and harsh treatment of such nature as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable and that the marriage relation still exists and for a judgment dissolving the marital contract entered into on or about the 13th day of November, 1948, costs of suit and all other relief which she may be justly entitled to, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Canyon, Texas, this 8th day of November A. D. 1951.

ATTEST:
ETHEL MULLINS, Clerk,
47th District Court in and for Randall County, Texas

(Seal) 3314



1. Who was the author of "In Flanders Field?"
2. Who was the oldest President of the United States?
3. Identify: Jean Valjean.
4. What was Moses' father-in-law's name?
5. What is mildew?
6. Where are the three smallest bones in the body located?
7. With what war does Homer's Iliad deal?
8. What is a de facto government?
9. What is a sachem?
10. What small republic in Europe recently celebrated its 1,651st anniversary?

(See "The Answers" on Page 7.)

Bible Verse to Study.

"Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed, for I am thy God."

1. Who spoke these words?
2. To whom were they addressed?
3. Through whom were they spoken?
4. Where may they be found?

Bible Verse Answers

1. Jehovah.
2. The Hebrew people.
3. Isaiah the prophet.
4. Isaiah 41:10.

Courthouse Busy Place Wednesday In District Court

Henry M. Williams, charged with burglary, waived trial by jury last Wednesday in District court and was given a three and one-half year prison term. The court also had a hearing in connection with the Harold H. Teeter case the same day.

Teeter is an Amarillo upholsterer who is charged with two counts of statutory rape. Formerly he had been held without bond but at the hearing his bond was set at \$4,000 per count, making a total of \$8,000.

Wednesday was also the day of the Jury Commission Function. Four men, Frank Begert of UMBarger, Charles L. Joiner of Canyon, R. C. Jordan of South Amarillo and John L. Hammond, southwest of Canyon, met to select a group of men for future jury purposes. Five petit juries of 48 men each, a special venire of 250 men, and a grand jury of 16 men were selected.



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Bernson Art Exhibit Displayed At Panhandle-Plains Museum

An exhibition of original paintings by Maurice H. Bernson, former WT student, will be on display at the Panhandle Plains Historical museum from Saturday, December 1, through Sunday, December 16.

The collection consists of 30 paintings, and visitors can see them in the east wing of the museum.

Brilliant colors arranged in an ingeniously striking manner give the paintings life-like proportions. The paintings depict such scenes as the barren waste of the desert, the glowing beauty of a young American girl, a lighthouse scene, a silhouette, roses, a stream near a small village, a coastal scene, a cow or buffalo skull with a bullet hole in it and many others.

In the lighthouse scene the paint used to show the beams of light, glows with the brilliance of real

light. The desert scene is made up of highly convincing sand dunes. There is a painting of daisies and roses and the work is of such realistic nature that the petals of the flowers are visible.

One of the outstanding traits of all the paintings is the fact that brilliant colors have been used and with them a realistic effect has been produced. Even though a lot of the scenes depict settings that would ordinarily be drab, the use of bright colors has not given a cheap artificial look, but has been skillfully arranged to give a realistic effect.

The paintings are to be put up for sale by the artist after the exhibition at the museum. At the door of the east wing there is a placard showing the name of each painting, as well as the price.

Mr. Bernson began his formal

The Old Master Painter



work in 1940 at WT under the direction of Isabel Robinson. He has studied at the Cranbrook Academy of Art and worked with Jerry Farnsworth at summer art school on Cape Cod. His Western Murals in the Killarney Dining Room at Canadian was finished in 1946.

An ex-serviceman, Bernson was with the 9th Air Force, 349th Bomb Group, 584th Bomb Squadron and was in the European Theater of Operations for approximately two years. His only chance for art work during this time was the ship's insignia, a few water colors, and small black and white sketches.

His work has been in art shows such as Mid-American Annual Art Exhibition; Ringling Circus subject exhibition; several one-man exhibitions in Canadian, Texas, his home town, Sarzota Art Association, in Florida, and at Canyon in 1949. His most recent solo-exhibition was at Oklahoma City art center last month.

His canvases are varied in subject including landscape, still-life, portrait, and abstract. The frames for his 30 oil paintings were hand

Eisenhower for President Move Started in Texas

Denison, Texas, the city that claims the honor of being the birth place of General Eisenhower, is being used as the site of launching the Texas 'Ike for President' campaign.

Doss, a disabled veteran who is an attorney by profession, started the movement Thanksgiving Day in a radio address over a 20 station network. The speech was made from Denison, and is similar to the 1947 boom which was also launched by Doss.

Mail response has been terrific since the radio address. At first the committee was swamped with cards and letters but now they are set up to handle all the mail which comes in.

In the broadcast Doss explained that no funds would be solicited and no contribution of any kind will be sought. It is purely a program in which people are asked to indicate their preference for Eisenhower as a presidential candidate.

The campaign is non-partisan. Doss explained, and appropriateness of starting it in Denison was pointed out. He expressed hope that other towns throughout the entire United States would start similar non-partisan campaigns of this nature.

Cattle Trails Are Recreated on Map At Museum Building

The most noted cattle trails of the Southwest are being recreated on a map at the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum. Location of these famous trails have been checked by authorities and recognized as being authentic.

Such trails as the old Goodnight-Gooding trail, the Texas Trail, the XIT trail and many others will be shown on the map. Boone McClure, museum manager, explained the work was being done by Clarence Kincaid of Amarillo. Kincaid is an art teacher in the Amarillo school system and a former WT student.

The huge map which shows the meandering cattle trails hangs on the north wall of the west side, ground floor, of the museum. Pastel colors have been used to give the map a pleasing appearance. The mountain ranges and the deserts that pioneers were forced to drive their cattle across are depicted in the changing tones of the soft colors on the map.

Many people will be interested in cattle trails and their influence upon the civilization of this area. In addition to being an authentic reproduction of the early cattle trails, the map will add another touch of beauty to the museum.

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WITHHOLDING RATE

The withholding tax rate went up from 18 to 20 per cent under the new tax law, which applies to all pay checks effective November 1, although most of the money—perhaps all of it—actually was earned in October.

John Kieran, son of famous educator: "Knowledge is not only power but justice, as well."

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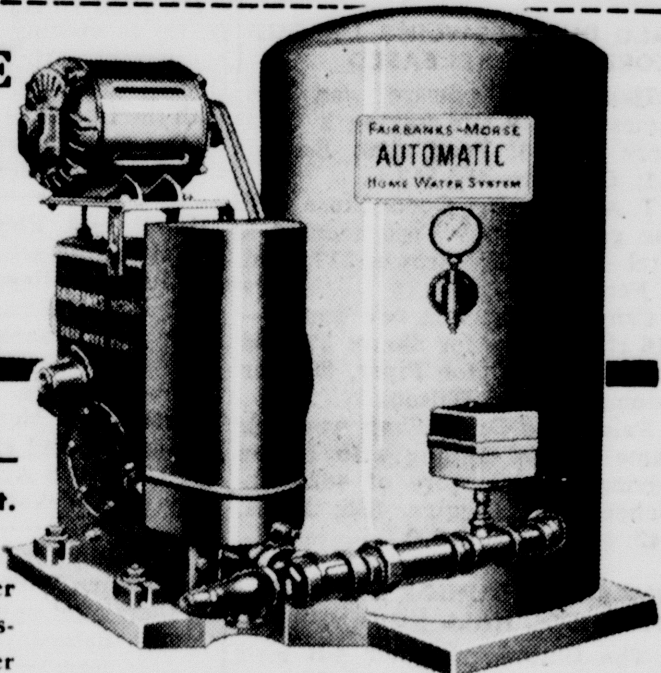
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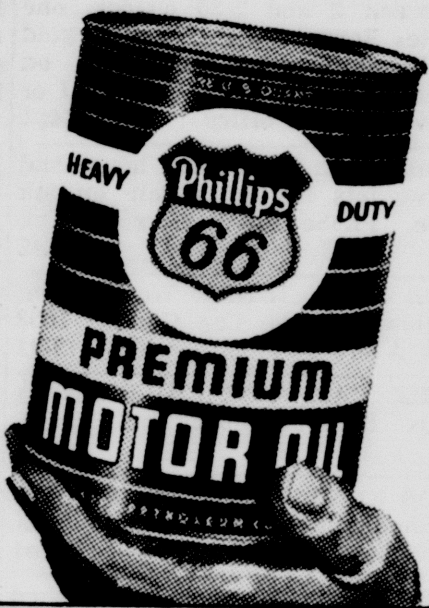
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Mrs. Ethel Mullins, district clerk, recently was with a party that noticed a huge rock in Palo Duro Canyon which resembled the profile of Abraham Lincoln. Mrs. Mullins explained that the formation was about two miles up in Timber Canyon. She described it as overlooking a lovely grassy spot which resembled a spot groomed for a small church or school house.

Word of the discovery of the formation soon got around until it reached the ears of John L. McCarty, Palo Duro State Park manager. McCarty immediately became interested in the formation as another phenomenon to add to the many others of the park. He wrote Mrs. Mullins a letter asking about the location of the formation in order to start giving it publicity along with some other wonders of the park.

DRAFT
An amendment to the Universal Military Training and Service Act makes it compulsory for draft-eligible aliens in the United States to register, according to the Selective Service, which points out that the statute, as amended, provides "every male citizen of the United States, and every other male person or hereafter in the United States" who is between 18 and 26, shall be subject to registration.

GIVEAWAY
If you can remember the time when a man's importance was judged by the size of his key ring you're older than you'll want to admit.

Hixsons Observe 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hixson celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary quietly on Saturday, December 1, with a family dinner.

They enjoyed the cards and letters which were sent to them and also a long distance call from their son who is in Wyoming.

W. S. C. S. MET TUESDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 4

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday afternoon at the First Methodist Church with Mrs. R. C. Busted leading the group and in charge of the program.

The meeting opened with a song, "There's A Song In The Air," followed by a poem by Miss M. Moss Richardson, entitled "Let Us Kneel Down."

"O Little Town of Bethlehem" was sung by the group and Mrs. T. V. Crouse told the Christmas story of "Why the Chimes Rang." Mrs. George Hill spoke on "Missionary's Christmas Abroad." Miss Richardson dismissed the meeting with a prayer.

PALO DURO BOWLING LEAGUE SCORES ARE RELEASED

Thompson Hardware won two games with White having a total score of 356; Pond, 289; Bosley, 341; Collinsworth, 313.

T. A. Black Dry Goods Store won one game—Bobby Ford scoring a total of 440; W. Brown, 317; and J. Ford, 308.

Canyon Drug won two games—316 chalked up for Shero; 378 for Hardaway; 450 for Piper, 384 for Odum; 272 for Wilson.

Palo Duro Dress Shop won one game in the evening with Foster having a total score of 462; McGehee, 319; Higgins, 355; Davis, 342; and Bremer, 290.

UMBARGER JUNIOR 4-H MET IN SCHOOL HALL NOVEMBER 20

The Umbarger Junior 4-H girls met in the school hall on November 20 with Margaret Friemel, president, presiding.

Leona Grabber accepted the duty as sponsoring the 4-H Club this year.

Miss Lou Ella Patterson gave a demonstration of cookies.

There will be a caroling party sometime before Christmas.

The meeting adjourned after completing the business.

MRS. W. H. MCATEE HAS BIRTHDAY DINNER SUNDAY

On Sunday, December 2, Mrs. W. H. McAtee was honored with a birthday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Happy McAtee. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Chandler of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Don McAtee of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Tippery and family of Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McAtee.

MOTHER-IN-LAW CLUB TO MEET DECEMBER 13

The Mother-in-Law Club will meet in the home of Mrs. G. B. Combs on December 13, at 2:30 p. m., for their Christmas party. Mrs. Addie Hefner, Mrs. J. W. Bourn, Mrs. W. H. Sparks and Mrs. Gentry are co-hostesses.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Home Demonstration Women of Randall County are having their annual Christmas party December 7 at 2:15 in the afternoon in the parlor of the First Baptist Church. All are welcome and are asked to bring an apron.

CENTRAL H. D. CLUB TO HAVE CALLED MEETING

The Central Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. R. H. Long Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

Those spending Thanksgiving Day in the M. E. Cleavinger home were Elmer Cleavinger and family, W. E. Miller and family, and Norman Cleavinger and family.

Mrs. C. E. Matthews of Amarillo visited in the R. D. Lowry home Friday of last week.

Pfc Dawson Ordered To Pepperrell AFB In Newfoundland

Pfc H. C. Bryan Dawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dawson, has been assigned to Pepperrell Air Force Base. Pfc. Dawson is a radio mechanic and will be assigned to the radio department's duties.

A graduate of West Texas High School, the 21-year-old airman was employed by an Amarillo construction company before entering service in September, 1950.

Upon completing his basic training at Lackland AFB at San Antonio and a radio course at Scott AFB in Illinois, Dawson was sent to the Newfoundland Air Force Base.

The Newfoundland Air Force Base is located adjacent to St. John's, the oldest city in North America and the capital of Newfoundland. The Pepperrell Air Force Base houses the headquarters of the U. S. Northeast Command and its component, the Northeast Air Command.

Dr. Fred Oberst, of Washington, D. C., is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Oberst, south of Canyon. He is with the Chemical Warfare division of the army and is on a business trip to San Antonio.

Edell and Eloyce Money, who are attending school at Southwest Junior College at Kings, Texas, visited in the parental Ed Money home over Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Keeling of Eunice, New Mexico, and Mrs. R. E. Barnard and children of Claude visited in the Alfred Bellah home over the week-end.

Mrs. Roy Cafver, her mother, Mrs. Parlee Witt of Amarillo, visited their aunt and sister, Mrs. G. B. Combs, Saturday.

Mrs. Henry L. Ivy of Lazbuddie, Texas, is visiting with her sister, Lou Ella Patterson, who is in the hospital.

Karl Meyers, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Meyers is now in experimental work at Texas A&M College at College Station.

Mrs. T. V. Donald is visiting in Ft. Hood, Texas, with her daughter and son, Lt. and Mrs. J. W. Wood.

Miss Bess Lee Medlen of Roaring Springs, Texas, visited her sister, Mrs. W. K. Bagley, a few days last week.

Wylie R. (Bob) Bagley was home during the Thanksgiving holidays. He is stationed at Mare Island Sub Base, Vallejo, Calif., with the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Winstead of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, are visiting relatives in Canyon.

Mrs. A. E. Davis of Lubbock visited over the week-end in the C. R. Chandler home.

Mrs. Clara Cornelius of Amarillo, visited in the G. B. Combs home last Saturday.

Herbert C. Bonner, Member of Congress from North Carolina: "We have got to get over the idea that American wealth is inexhaustible."

Eric Johnston, Economic Stabilization director: "National survival means containing the Red armies of communism and their invisible ally — inflation."

Oscar Ewing, Security Administrator: "We have not yet succeeded in adapting ourselves to the needs of older people."

Arthur Schlessinger, Jr., historian: "We are living in a jungle and we must do something about it."

And we've heard a woman's club meeting described as —Gabble, giggle, gobble and get.

Ancient Herb Giving Relief To Asthmatics

NEW ORLEANS—An herb known since ancient Egypt, used for many purposes from toothpicks to narcotics, is giving relief to sufferers from the torturous attacks of bronchial asthma.

Latest report on its use comes from Tulane university, where "good or excellent" results were obtained in 60 per cent of the cases treated.

The drug used in the experiments is khellin, sometimes called visamin. The Tulane researchers used a form trademarked "Eskel." (Produced by Smith, Kline and French Laboratories, Philadelphia.)

Relaxing Effect
Khellin has a relaxing effect upon smooth muscle fibers. In acute attacks of bronchial asthma, spasms of these fibers constrict the bronchioles or tiny windpipes leading to the lungs, causing partial suffocation. Studies have indicated that khellin counteracts this constriction.

During the past year khellin has been found useful in treatment of angina pectoris, painful heart condition characterized by sensations of suffocating constriction in the chest. Centuries ago it was recommended for relief of stomach cramps.

Khellin is derived from the dry seeds of a plant known in Arabic as khella and in English as bishop's weed, toothpick weed or toothpick bishop's weed.

Carrot Family
Scientific name of the plant is *Ammi visnaga*. It is a member of the carrot family (*Ammiaceae*) and is a native of the Mediterranean basin. In recent years it has been grown in the Santa Clara valley and the Long Beach area of California, presumably imported by Italians who brought it from their old country.

Tulane physicians taking part in the experiments included Drs. Vincent J. Derbes, Roy J. White, John Teverbaugh, David Vaughan and Neil K. Weaver. The first four are from the department of medicine of the Tulane School of Medicine. Dr. Weaver is a trainee of the National Heart Institute, working at Tulane.

Their observations were made up on patients in Charity hospital at New Orleans.

In their first series of tests the physicians reported "good to excellent" results among 14 out of 25 patients given khellin by mouth, and 12 out of 20 receiving the dose by injection.

"Prolonged relief, of at least several hours duration, was shown in all cases considered benefitted," the physicians said.

"From the results obtained in this series and from other patients now under observation, it is felt that khellin will have a useful place in the treatment of bronchial asthma."

In addition to the "prolonged duration of action," the Tulane report said, an advantage of khellin is that it has little effect upon blood pressure, and therefore "should be particularly useful in asthmatics with concomitant hypertension."

The patients had been suffering attacks lasting from a few hours to three or four days. Most of them had taken other drugs which failed to give relief.

Collapsible Rubber Drum Made for Shipping Liquids

NEW YORK—A new collapsible rubber-fabric drum suitable for shipping liquids has been developed by the U. S. Rubber Co. The new drum is expected to effect considerable savings in return shipping costs, since more than 2500 collapsed drums can be shipped in a standard railroad box car that would hold only 300 ordinary rigid containers.

Limited quantities already are being produced for essential uses in the petroleum and liquid chemical fields.

The drum is made of a strong, low stretch cotton cord fabric, impregnated with synthetic rubber and molded in one piece. The result is a tough, flexible drum about the size of a regular barrel or drum. It is equipped with simple yet effective fittings for filling, emptying, lifting, and handling.

Experimental tests indicate that the new drum will be suitable for the shipment of oils, greases, fats, acids, paints, emulsions, soaps, dyes, and a variety of pharmaceutical and industrial chemicals. It is also believed to be practical for transporting liquids by air for military use and for dropping liquids by parachute to ground troops.

Night-Fighter Pilots See Movies in the Afternoons

WITH THE FIRST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING IN JAPAN—For hard-flying First Marine Aircraft Wing night fighter-bomber pilots in Korea, there is little recreation. They sleep most of the day, and prowling the black skies all night preying upon Communist truck convoys and troop concentrations.

This sad state brought about an innovation in the daytime military routine of this command. Matinee performances of current movies are shown in the afternoons for the benefit of those pilots and their ground crews who spend the nights at honest toil.

Youths racing cars in reverse add to highway dangers.

Medical Care Said Relatively Cheaper Than in 1935-39

CHICAGO—The American Medical Association has reported that the price of medical care, including drugs, hospital room rates and physician and dental services, was relatively 14 per cent cheaper in 1950 than during 1935-39.

This was revealed in the Consumers' Price Index, compiled by the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The Bureau's Index indicated a 72 per cent rise in the cost of living since the 1935-39 base period while, at the same time, showing that medical care prices rose only 48 per cent.

The increase for food, the index showed, was 104 per cent; apparel 88 per cent; rent 31 per cent; fuel, electricity and refrigeration 41 per cent; house furnishings 90 per cent, and 57 per cent for the items which the Bureau of Labor Statistics classified as miscellaneous. Only two of these items—rents, and fuel, electricity and refrigeration—rose less rapidly than medical care prices.

The 72 per cent rise in the cost of living as compared with only a 48 per cent rise in medical care prices indicates that for every \$1 paid for goods and services generally in 1935-39, the 1950 consumer had to pay \$1.72. On the other hand, the medical care purchased for \$1 in 1935-39 cost only \$1.48 in 1950.

An analysis of the index discloses further that a dollar in 1950 could buy 68 cents worth of medical care but only 58 cents worth of all goods and services, or 86 per cent as much. The 1950 purchasing power of the dollar was 86 per cent as high in terms of goods and services, generally, as it was in terms of medical care prices only. Thus, in terms of the purchasing power of the 1950 dollar, medical care was relatively 14 per cent cheaper than in 1935-39.

Physicians' fees, according to the index, rose 40 per cent or only a little more than half as rapidly as the entire cost of living, which rose 72 per cent.

Only hospital room rates, which increased 135 per cent, have risen faster than the entire Consumers' Price Index.

"The high hospital rates," an A.M.A. study of the Consumers' Price Index said, "reflects the fact that hospitals are singularly exposed to the forces of inflation."

Commenting on the relatively cheaper medical care prices today, Dr. John W. Cline, San Francisco, president of the A.M.A., said that "physicians recognize that the cost of medical care, especially hospital care, is a serious budget item for many persons. Therefore, the doctors are strongly supporting various plans to help meet these costs."

"The fact is, however," Dr. Cline continued, "that, as shown by official government statistics, medical care prices today, as compared with the prices of all goods and services, are relatively less than they were 15 years ago."

'Truck Driver of 1949' Charged Drunk Driving

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. — The "Truck Driver of the Year 1949" has been convicted of drunken driving.

Lloyd Reisner, picked for the national title in a contest based on driving skill and safety, was charged with drunken driving by officers who said he drove his automobile through a traffic signal. He was fined \$10.25 and his drivers license suspended for 90 days.

Reisner was also cited once by the Indiana Motor Truck Association for saving the life of a girl who appeared to be bleeding to death after an accident at Louisville.

Marine Engineering Officer Braves Danger for Parts

WITH THE FIRST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING IN KOREA—The last time Uijongbu airfield was abandoned to the Reds, a damaged Marine Corsair fighter was left on the airstrip.

First Lieutenant Harry Wilson, of Andrews, Texas, a first Marine Aircraft Wing engineering officer, needed spare parts for two Corsairs grounded for repairs.

He took six Marine enlisted mechanics with him in a truck, and despite warnings of military police along the way, passed through the front lines and drove to Uijongbu.

As artillery shells hissed into Communist ranks only a few hundred yards away, they hastily "cannibalized" the Corsair and hauled away every useable part except the fuselage and wings.

Marine Fliers Have Dropped 22 Gondolas of Explosives

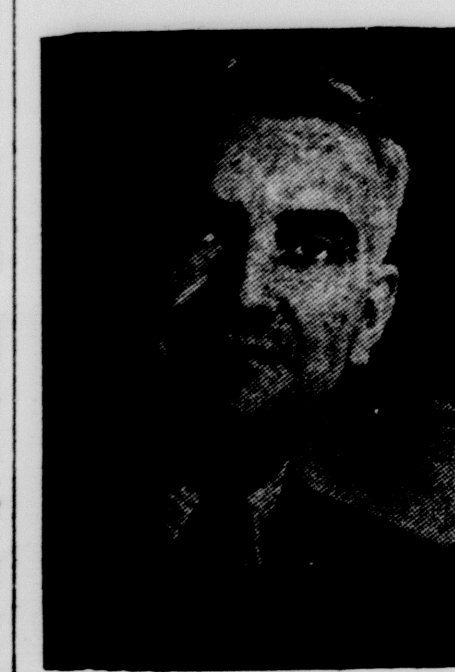
WITH THE FIRST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING IN KOREA—A single squadron of fighter-bomber aircraft, flying with the First Marine Aircraft Wing, have dropped 1132 explosive bombs of all types, and 707 napalm fire bombs on the Communists during a single 30 day period.

In addition, the Leatherneck pilots fired 489,050 rounds of 20mm. cannon ammunition, and 7,419 high velocity aircraft rockets, each the equivalent of a 5" shell, into enemy positions during the period.

This is the equivalent of 27 American-sized gondola-type railroad cars full of high explosives.

"Beef factories" reported to be increasing production.

"Care" Official Will Speak at Christian Church



ROY McCORKEL

Roy McCorkel will speak to the citizens of Canyon at the First Christian Church on Thursday night, December 6, at 7:30 o'clock. On the morning of the same date he will address the students at Amarillo College, and at noon he is the program for the Rotary Club of Amarillo.

The speaker was for two years Southeastern Director of CARE and before leaving the continent of Europe visited most of the Scandinavian countries and other portions of that continent. His topic will be "Hope in Europe," and his presentation will be followed by a question and answer period.

Mr. McCorkel is a graduate of Yale; has traveled around the world, taught in college in India, and traveled extensively throughout the Near East.

Shortly after his arrival in this country in August, he wrote, "I returned from Europe with the feeling of hope and confidence . . . I believe there is sound reason for believing that peace can be won, and I am sure that the citizens of this country can play an important role in the winning of that peace."

While in Texas, Mr. McCorkel is traveling under the auspices of the regional office of the American Friends Service Committee in Austin.

HE SHOULD!

A farmer who sent for a book on How to Grow Tomatoes wrote the publisher, "The man who wrote the ad shoulda writ the book."

FAMILIAR?

"She was a woman in her early fifties, rather well dressed and generally meat in appearance." We know the type well.

REAL CONCERN

How hard it is for a rich man to enter heaven concerns us less than how hard it is for a poor man to remain on earth.

ESPECIALLY

Glasses have an amazing effect on vision — especially after they have been filled and emptied several times.

SURE

Home cooking in New York would be speeded up 50 years by the use of zippers on canned goods.

JUST SO!

No father objects to his children asking questions — provided he knows the answers.

ISN'T IT SO?

Stupid Steve says: "Too many of us are like wheelbarrows; useful only when pushed, and easily upset."

TRANSFORMED

"Who was the blonde I saw you with on Thursday?"
"The brunette you saw me with on Tuesday!"

Williams Plumbing and Repair
Ditching Service
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705 10th St. Phone 647 33p8

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment and bedroom. 2111 7th Avenue. 33p2

FOR SALE: Sealed bids will be released up to 12 o'clock noon on December 14, 1951, by the Board of Trustees, Canyon Independent School District on the following: 2 room frame house, size 12x28, located on the southeast corner of Block 19, Normal Addition, being the corner of 11th Avenue and 21st St., located one block south of the W. T. Davis home. Lee Foster, tax collector. 32t4

FOR SALE: Two wheel trailer. 710 8th. 32t2

FOR SALE: Four pure bred Angus bulls — yearlings. D. L. Allison, Happy, Texas. 32p3

FOR SALE: Allen and Wales adding machine. Cash drawer combination. Call 706-W. 32t4

FOR SALE: Five room and bath stucco house and garage. Mary Boyce. 2109 5th Avenue. 29t1

FOR SALE: New large two bedroom house with garage attached and F. H. A. loan. Call 747-W after 5:00 p. m. 33t1

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FOR SALE OR TRADE: Six room house to be moved. Rt. 2, Box 594, Amarillo; Phone 21F31, Amarillo. 33p2

FOR SALE: One Lionel Electric train. 2201 5th Avenue. 34p2

FOR SALE: Kelvinator Refrigerator; recently overhauled. In good shape. \$45. Old cook stove. \$5. Phone 446-J after 6 p. m. 34p1

FOR SALE: One upright piano. Priced to sale. Phone 614-W. 303 27th Street. 34t3

FOR SALE: Have two cars for sale for repairs, clear titles furnished. 1940 Buick 4 door complete overhaul, 1939 Chrysler 2 door complete overhaul, terms arranged. D. R. Weaver, Phone 238-J after 6 p. m. 34t1

FOR SALE: Five room house by owner. Phone 537-W. 34t1

FOR SALE: Portable Washer with wringer and automatic dial. \$27. 610 8th Avenue. 34p1

FOR SALE: One 8 ft. deluxe Hot Point refrigerator, like new. Western Auto Store. 34t1

FOR SALE: One pair of double wash tubs. Western Auto Store. 34t1

LOST: Last Thursday afternoon between 2 and 2:30 o'clock, one ladies Benrus watch. Yellow gold with white gold decorations on each side. Reward. Call 462-J or leave at News office. 34p1

FOR SALE: Good small house and three lots for quick sale on 9th Ave. Phone 198-W after 5 p. m. 34t2

FOR SALE: Toaster; Waffle Iron; Pillows; Quilts; Can Goods. 1003 7th Ave. 34t1

WILL CARE FOR CHILDREN by day. Federal housing unit, Apt. 7. 34p1

FOR RENT: Two houses; One furnished and one unfurnished. O. L. Coleman. Phone 579-J. 34p1

FOR RENT: Two room unfurnished apartment. 509 4th Ave. Phone 571-J. 34p1

FOR RENT OR SALE: A business building on highway and 23rd St. No. 605. Phone 543-W. 33p2

The Canyon News goes into the homes where it is invited, and read by all members of the family. Classified ads pay. 1t

FOR RENT: Bedroom for Men or boys. \$4.00 week; also furnished apartment for couple. 1718 4th Ave. Phone 337. 30t1

Do you have something for sale or trade? Run a Classified ad in The Canyon News. 1t

FOR RENT: Two 2-room apartments. Close to college, for couples. Call 9001. 28t1

FOR RENT: Two room unfurnished house. 2519 6th Ave. Phone 196W in Panhandle. 32t3

WE WILL BUY hens for butchering. Meyers Hatchery. 24t1

FOR STANLEY HOME PRODUCTS Call 127J. 18t1

Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum HOURS

Week Days — 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays — 2 P. M. to 6 P. M. 15t1

FOR SALE: Two bedroom, new frame house, located east of college campus; already has 50% loan, the price is in line. We have other small and large houses in different part of town. Harden and Heath. 21t1

FOR SALE: Bath tubs, cast iron and pressed steel. Lavatories and commodes. Cunningham Appliance Maytag Company. 32t1

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

PIANO TUNING: Glenn Truax, call 41 for appointment. 32p4

WANTED: Family ironing to do at my home. 2006 1st Ave. Phone 751-W. Mrs. J. Deen. 34p1

WILL CARE FOR CHILDREN any time, day or night. Phone 371-J. 1104 2nd Ave. 34p1

FOR RENT: Garage apartment, 1401 14th Street; Phone 128-J. 34p1

FOR RENT: Two room furnished apartment, redecorated, private bath; 3 room furnished apartment, private bath. Both extra nice. 1 1/2 blocks from college. Phone 247-J. 34t1

FOR RENT: Three room house. See John Wallen. 34t1

FOR RENT: Nice large three room unfurnished home. Phone 416-J or 1807 7th Avenue. 34p1

LOST: Grey and white spotted puppy. Reward. Get in touch with H. Bingham or call 57. 34t1

FOR RENT: Six room unfurnished house. 2108 8th Avenue. 34t2

UPHOLSTERING AND FINISH WORK. 748-W. 34t3

FOR RENT: Two room furnished apartment; Private bath, refrigerator. Phone 299-W. 34t1

WILL CARE FOR CHILDREN in my home, hour, day or week. Good meals and best of care. Phone 614-W. 303 27th Street. 34t1

FOR RENT: Three room furnished house — refrigerator. Phone 547. 32t1

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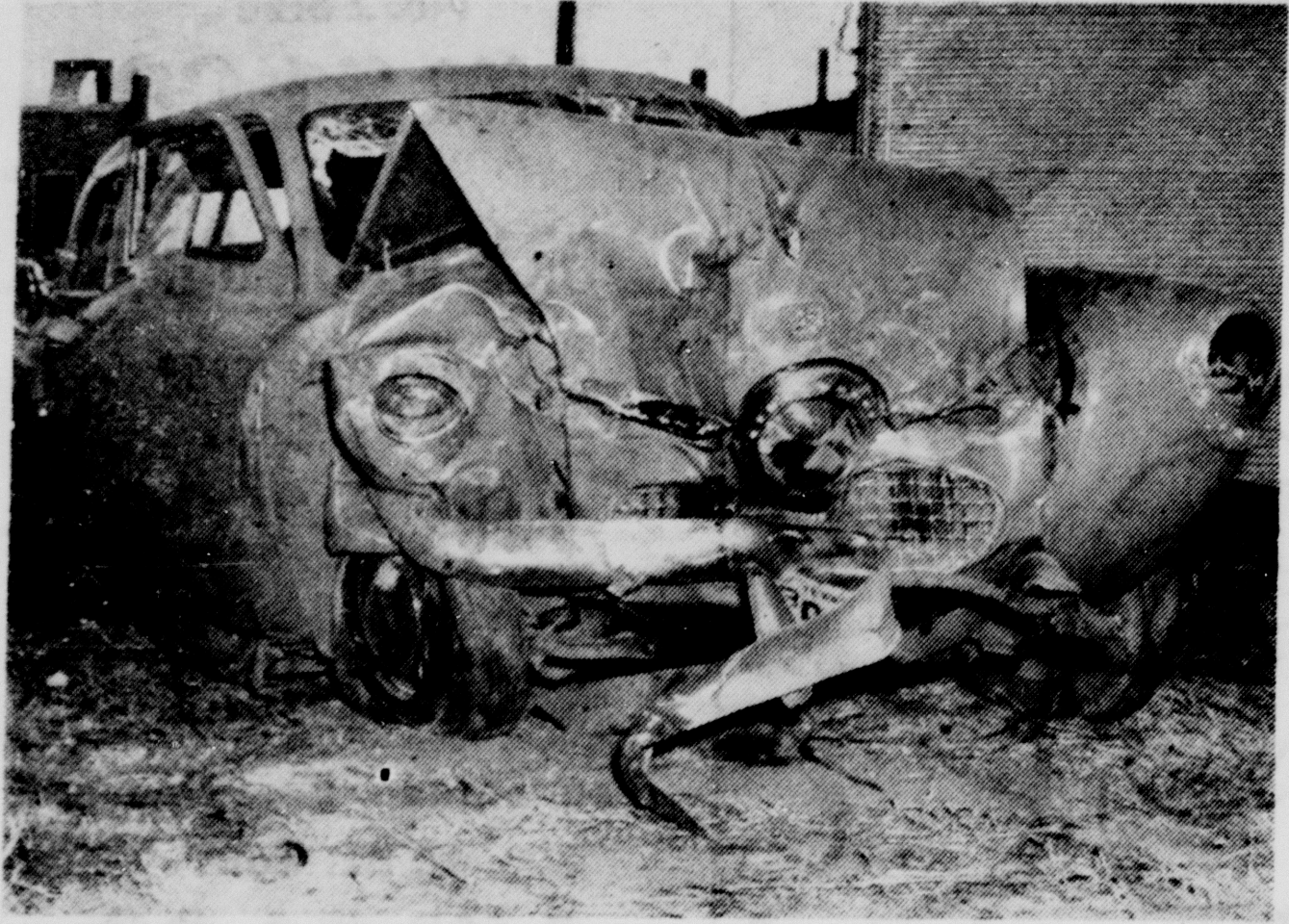


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WT Student Body Mourns Loss Of Campus Religious Leaders



West Texas State College this week-end mourns two student and church leaders who died Wednesday as a result of a head-on collision earlier in the afternoon on Highway 60 just outside Canyon. In critical condition at Canyon's Neblett Hospital is a Pennsylvania man, enroute to Pittsburgh from California.

Dead are William E. Thomson, 18, of Progress, and Jack D. Stone, 19, of Panhandle. Suffering from lung injuries and a crushed pelvis is Jack T. Quest of Pittsburgh.



Jack Stone

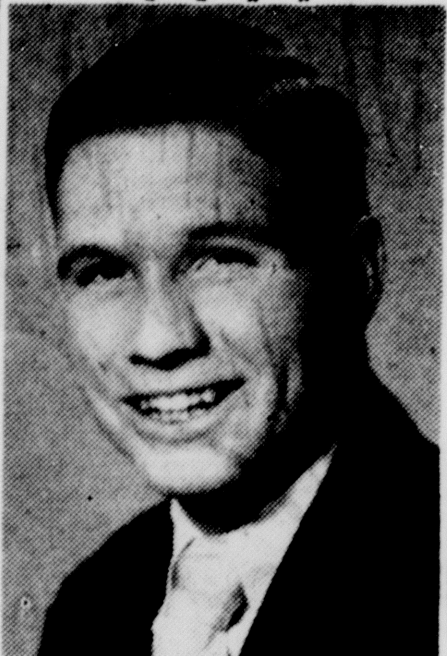
No eye witness saw the collision which occurred at 1:30 o'clock on Highway 60, about 300 yards from a point where Highways 60 and 87 intersect.

According to investigating officers, apparently the car in which the students were riding, Thomson's 1950 Studebaker, had left the intersection heading west, when it collided head-on with the 1941 Dodge coupe driven by Quest.

Fellow students of the two dead boys, who were the first to arrive at the crash scene, quickly summoned a Griggs-Warren ambulance.

Stone died shortly after arrival at Neblett Hospital. "Red" Bill Thomson lived for approximately an hour. Neither of the two boys ever regained consciousness, according to hospital officials.

The crash, which totally demolished both cars, left the steel frames twisted together in the



"Red" Bill Thomson

middle of the highway. The student body and faculty of WTSC were stunned by news of the tragedy. Thomson, a junior, and Stone, a sophomore, had left following morning classes and were enroute to nearby towns where Thomson held a community pastorate.

Both young men were active in many student organizations, particularly in working with the Methodist Student Center on the campus. In addition, Thomson was one of the youngest ordained ministers of the Methodist church in the state.

The two young church leaders, who had recently conducted a revival service near Muleshoe, were planning to make pastorate calls at Big Square and Westway, and later to visit Thomson's parents at Progress.

Both Thomson and Stone were members of the WT Buffalo band, the Wesley Student Foundation, and the Canyon Methodist church choir. Thomson was president of the Wesley Student Foundation. Stone was a member of Kappa Kappa Psi, and the West Texas State Choir.

President James P. Cornette voiced the sentiments of the college when he said, "We have lost two of the most outstanding students, and devout and conscientious church workers on the campus. Fellow students of the two

popular youths, as well as Canyon townspeople, expressed regret over the untimely loss of such fine boys."

Lions Hear Highly Technical Speech On Use of Radar

The highly technical subject of radar was expounded before the Lions Club at Wednesday's luncheon. Cpl. Don Hickman of the United States Air Force who recently graduated from the radar school at Keesler Field, Mississippi, explained the technicalities of radar.

Cpl. Hickman, who is the son of Lion Bud Hickman, explained the similarity between radio and radar. Radio, he pointed out, has the kind of rays which will arc in such a manner as to cover the world. Radar rays travel in straight lines until they strike the object which they were beamed at and then bounce back.

The Corporal explained that radar is merely another form of radio but has a considerably higher frequency. Pulse transmissions used in radar are measured in millionths of seconds.

Don, who will be an instructor at Keesler Field upon his return, explained how radar would help lost pilots find a field. He went into detail in his explanation of radar, the I. F. F. Code and how a plane could be landed safely even in the most dense fog. The I. F. F. Code means identification, friend or foe, and when it is operating near enemy territory the code is sometimes changed as often as every six hours, the speaker explained.

This system of bringing a plane in is so accurate, stated Hickman, that the radar man knows within five feet of the exact position of the plane at all times.

Besides Corporal Hickman, the Lions welcomed four other guests. They were E. H. Lindsey, Walter Labay, Odie Crowell and Loyd Thomas.

Happy Birthday

December 7:
Emmitt Clifford Prichard
Mrs. Lee Russell
Mrs. John Jennings
Billy Frank Harrison

December 8:
Drennan Harding
Dean (Spike) Lowes
Mrs. Henry C. Long
Glenn Costley
Kelly Rose
Mrs. Clay Cooper

December 9:
Mrs. C. R. Flesher
Edyth May Knapp
Donnell Burthart
Willenell Zimmer
Leroy Wesley
Mrs. M. S. Downing
Daniel Podzemny

December 10:
Ed Williams
Mary C. Cannon
Cora Wiecek
Mrs. M. C. Fox
Mrs. Mabel Taylor
Don Mickey

December 11:
Mrs. Henry Cone
J. O. Parker
Marisa Keeney
Uel Wise
F. S. Crowder
Richard Gidden
Mrs. I. H. Hollabaugh
C. W. Dunn

December 12:
Mrs. Dean Hinds
Francis Moss
Owen Williams
Betty Lou Hood
Edna Sue Hood
W. B. Ratliff

December 13:
Clifford Burtz
Mrs. T. V. Slack
Mrs. Harold Erwin
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Words are but empty thanks.
— Colley Cibber

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NO IMMIGRANT

City Detective Floyd Niswonger got a straight answer to a straight question.

He asked a man picked up on suspicion of illegal entry into the United States:

"How did you get into this country?"

The man replied:
"Mister, I'm a full-blooded Sioux Indian, I was born here. How did you get here?"

Some people always sigh in thanking God. — E. B. Browning

SOME KNOCK

The deaf old lady went to live near one of the naval ports. Shortly afterwards, a battleship fired a salute of 10 guns. The old lady, who lived alone, got out of her chair, smoothed down her dress, patted her hair, and said sweetly, "Come in."

SARCASM

Diner (tired of waiting): "Waitress, please find out if your colleague from whom I ordered a steak some time ago is still employed here."

GREETINGS

Joe — "The butter in the house to the coffee and say, 'How do is so strong it can walk right over you do?'"

Bill — "But the coffee would be too weak to answer."

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Cage Captain



Elected Captain of the 1951-52 Buffalo Basketball team by his teammates was Dwaine 'Slim' Stewart, Canyon senior. Slim was the leading scorer for the Herd last year in his first full year of varsity ball, racking up 307 points. The 6'3 forward is expected to have his greatest year this season.

The Answers . . .

1. John McCrae, Canadian physician.
2. Andrew Jackson.
3. He was the hero of Victor Hugo's "Les Miserables."
4. Jethro.
5. A vegetable fungus.
6. In the ear.
7. The Greek-Trojan war.
8. A government which is actually ruling a country, although not necessarily with legal or constitutional sanction.
9. A North American Indian chief, originally chief of a confederation.
10. San Marino, in the Apennines.

FEDERAL PAYROLL

Government salaries totaled \$755,242,000 at the end of August, as against \$707,510,000 in July. This figure is expected to climb despite the employment drop, because of a salary boost of about ten per cent for many Federal workers just before it adjourned.

FEDERAL EMPLOYEES

During September, the number of civilian employees decreased by 11,875, the first decline in fifteen months. Government totaled 2,495,519 at the end of September, as compared with 2,507,394 in August.



Director Homer Garrison Explains Drivers Safety Responsibility Law

Various kinds of confusion has arisen over the new Texas responsibility law on drivers which goes into effect January 1, 1952. Some of the confusion of reporting traffic accidents under the state's new motor vehicle safety responsibility law was cleared up last Thursday in a radio address by Public Safety Director Homer Garrison, Jr.

It was explained that one confusing point was caused by the discrepancy in time for filing regular accident reports, which must be sent to the Texas Department of Public Safety within 24 hours, and the time for filing additional information under the Safety Responsibility Law, which must be sent to the department within as much as 10 days. Garrison showed that there should be no confusion

as the change in the present system is so slight.

The Director of Public Safety pointed out that every driver of motor vehicles should become thoroughly familiar with the new responsibility law. He made four points clear that drivers should do in order to make the procedure of reporting an accident more simple as well as more efficient.

First, the driver should carefully read the state's leaflet about the law and keep it handy in the car.

Second, the driver should get a report form, study the questions and keep it in the car; it might be needed in a hurry.

Third, if there is insurance, keep the name of the insurance company, number of the policy and amount and kind of insurance it provides, in the car for immediate reference.

Fourth, if the driver is not insured, he should make up his mind in advance how he will meet the new law's security requirements by other means, as explained in the state's leaflet, if he is involved in a traffic accident.

Official forms for making accident reports are available at any sheriff's office, local police station, or from highway patrolmen and the Texas Department of Public Safety. A report must be filed in any accident which results in the death of a person or property damage in excess of \$25.

This report must be filed within 24 hours after the accident, but this is no deviation from the present law. In other words, there is no change whatever in the present rules for reporting of this type.

In the event that the operator of the car involved in an accident is physically unable to make the report, and was driving another person's car at the time of the accident, the owner of the vehicle will be required to file the report.

SNAKE INVADERS CHURCH

Istachatta, Fla. — As Rev. Fletch Weston, pastor of the Baptist church, was preaching recently, a four-foot black snake slithered down the aisle. As it reached the pulpit, the pastor threw a hymnbook at the snake. When this failed to stop it, a woman went outside, came back with a large rock and handed it to the minister. He killed the snake and resumed his sermon.

OVERCHARGED

Mrs. Jones returned from a visit to the doctor very cross indeed. "Do you know that he charged me three dollars for painting my throat with iodine?" she complained.

"I don't call that very much," replied Mrs. Brown. "Not much!" said Mrs. Jones. "Why, I had my kitchen white-washed all over for five."

THAT WAS DIFFERENT

"Who would like to go to heaven?" asked the teacher. Every hand was raised but one. Then a voice was heard to say to the hesitant one: "Put up your hand; she doesn't want us to go now."

DANGEROUS

As the new barber nicked the one-armed stranger for the second time, he said, "You have been here before?" "No," said the stranger sadly. "I lost this arm in a sawmill."

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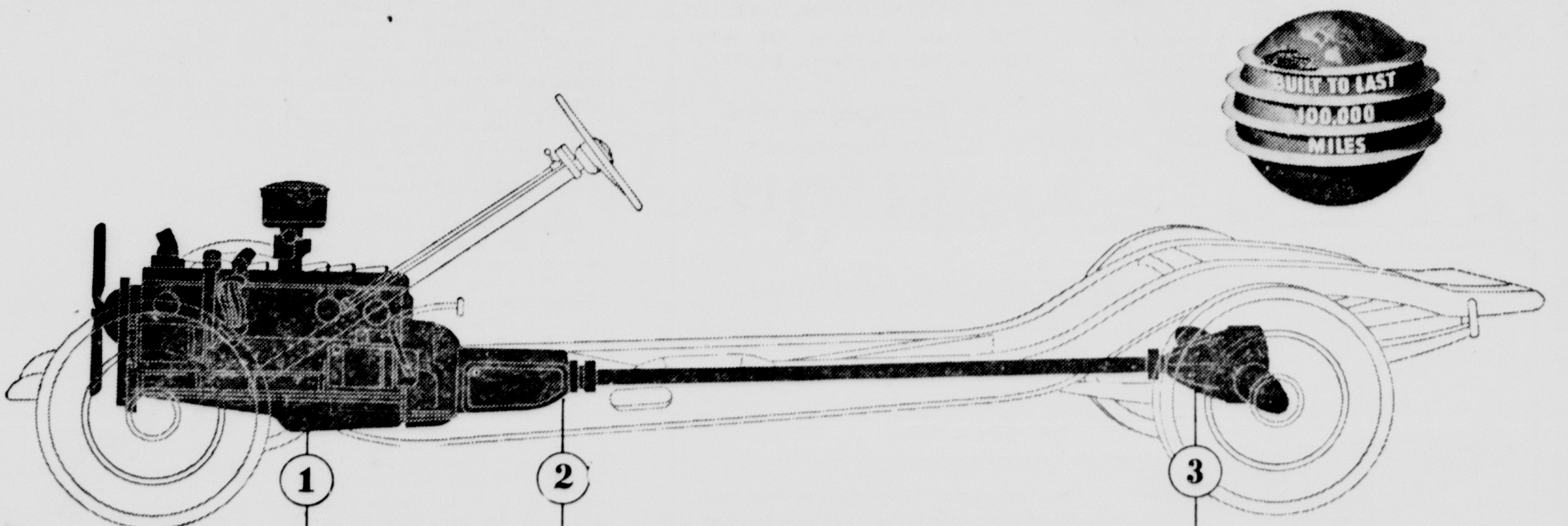
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Christmas Candies, Nuts, Fruit Cakes, and Fruits.

REMEMBER, Wednesday of each Week is Double Green Stamp Day. It pays to save Green Stamps, they are good from Coast to Coast and are more valuable.

Winston Churchill, Britain's new Prime Minister, at 77 is showing his age. Mr. Churchill is expected to step out at some time in the year ahead, to be succeeded by Anthony Eden. The thought of death certainly influences the conduct of life less than might have been expected.

Fairview Breezes

We have been having fine weather. It is still dry and still, and we would appreciate a lot of moisture.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Wann left for their home in Tulare, Calif., Monday after visiting with Mrs. Wann's mother, Mrs. M. F. Evans, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dunlap and children, Mrs. George Schaeffer and Stanley, Mrs. Gressett and four daughters, were in the Evans home Thanksgiving. A large number of relatives and friends enjoyed the day with Grandmother Evans.

Red Wilson is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Curley Myers returned Tuesday from a visit in Missouri, Louisiana and South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Schaeffer are visiting the Sharpes at Hamilton. Mrs. Sharpes is quite poorly.

E. P. Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Wesley and daughter, visited in the G. E. Wesley home Sunday.

G. E. Wesley has been in bed for a week with stomach trouble.

Mrs. G. E. Wesley and Vesta and Lavena Amerson were in Tulia Friday.

Our community was saddened by the passing of another old timer, Mrs. E. P. Wesley, who died Thursday evening in her home at Canyon. All of her children were present at the time. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Fairview church, with burial at the Wayside Cemetery.

Mrs. D. L. Whitson and Beck Menicks were here Saturday from Littlefield for the funeral of Mrs. Whitson's aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Legate and Alberta of Witharrel attended the funeral of Mrs. Legate's aunt, Mrs. Wesley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shipman and children attended the football game at Spearman Friday and also attended the basketball game at Happy Thursday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Fred Tedrick and daughters visited Sunday in the Richard Evans home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Cagle and daughter, Lynda, Lon L. Amerson and Martha Knox, and Mr. and Mrs. Coye Elkins visited Sunday in the J. W. Wesley home.

Bowie Wesley celebrated his tenth birthday by having some of his friends at his home Friday evening. They had fun roasting weiners.

Mrs. Frank Rogers is to undergo surgery in Vicks and Credit Hospital in Amarillo Monday morning.

The race of men is like the race of leaves. As one generation flourishes another decays.

THE AMERICAN WAY



Getting The Boot

Letters to Santa . . .

Dear Santa,
My name is Susan Decker. I want a big Brenda doll for Christmas. I've tried to be a good girl. I am four and a half years old. Mike, my little brother, is three. Please bring him some toys also. He is a cowboy so bring him cowboy chaps.

Love,
Suzy Decker

P. S. Santa, I am staying with my Grandie and Nana Brown in Canyon.

AMERICAN LEGION HAS CHRISTMAS TREES FOR SALE

The American Legion again has Christmas trees for sale at the American Legion Hall. Proceeds will go to the American Legion Charity Fund.

Buy your Christmas tree at the Legion Hall and help some needy person.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Combs visited Mrs. J. M. Hart in St. Anthony's Hospital Monday.

Joseph Stalin is dropping clear hints through Soviet publications that he will be glad to talk with Prime Minister Churchill after the latter has talked with President Truman. The Russian leaders want the latest dope on American official thinking and figure Mr. Churchill can get it.

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POSTOFFICE

Cast Completed For Double Door

The complete cast for Double Door, mystery drama to be presented January 7 and 8, was announced this week by William A. Moore, director.

The play, by Elizabeth McFadden, is a fictionalized version of the story of a once-prominent aristocratic family of New York.

In the lead role of the elder daughter, Victoria, of the Van Bret family is Barbara Gaither, Amarillo. The younger sister is played by Ruth Elaine Harmon, Floydada.

Others in the cast are Miss Avery, Beth Beane; Telson, Fred Rathjen; Louise, Arminta Berry; Anne, Mildred Fite; William, Eugene Hill; Chase, Bill Creamer; Heff, Bill McDonald; Rip Van Bret, Ted Lanham; Dr. Sully, Dick Houston; Lambert, Jerry Williams; voice of the minister, Beryl West.

Technical director is Wendell Cain assisted by student director, Arminta Berry.

The set design, consisting mainly of wood panels and sliding doors, was designed by Cain and is being prepared by Virgil Patterson, Betty McCune, Alice Ruth Carr, Marion Shalem, and Marjorie Mulligan.

The production was originally scheduled for December but the date has been changed to January 7 and 8. Admission prices are 75 cents for adults; 50 cents for students; and 25 cents for children.

Wesleyan Guild Program Success

The Christmas program entitled "In Christ There Is No East Nor West," sponsored by the Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church was a great success at the First Methodist Church on Sunday evening, December 2.

Opening the evening service, Miss Dorothy Cleavinger, violinist, and Mrs. Ellen Knighton, organist, played "The First Noel" and "Joy to the World." The Rev. J. Weldon Butler narrated the Christmas Story, with Carver High School, W. T. S. C. students, Dwight Morrow School and Cathy Cintron of Puerto Rico each singing at different intervals.

Such Christmas hymns as "Ave Maria," "Oh Little Town of Bethlehem," "O Holy Night," "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing," "Beautiful Saviour" and "We Three Kings of Orient Are" were delightful to the ears of the listeners.

The second part of the program entitled "If Jesus Had Not Come," stressed what would have happened or would not have happened if the world had not been blessed by His coming—that we would have no doctors, nurses, service men, etc., if it had not been for Him.

Such people appearing on the latter part of the program were Dr. W. T. Mok of Amarillo, Mrs. Bill Pevehouse, registered nurse, Airmen from West Texas State and children of different races. The Carver High School concluded the service with the ever-lovely "Hallelujah Chorus," and Rev. H. L. Thurston pronouncing the benediction.

Christmas Mailing Procedures Posted For Public Attention

The Post Office Department is making every effort to be both prompt and efficient in handling the extra load of Christmas mail. Guy Harp, Postmaster, reports that he feels the public would be doing itself a favor to take a few short-cuts in order to help the postal authorities be more efficient. A condensed form of the procedure to follow in order to save time, is posted on the bulletin board in the post office.

If the person mailing cards and presents at Christmas time has purchased stamps ahead of time, it cuts down on the time spent standing at the window, Harp pointed out.

If a large number of Christmas cards are being mailed, they will arrive at their destination sooner if tied in a neat bundle and handed to the authorities or dropped through the package slot. Out of town cards and cards being mailed to local people in Canyon should be separated.

Another important item is the mailing rates. Unsealed Christmas cards, with no writing enclosed, go as third class mail, the rate is 2 cents per card if the weight is not over two ounces. Any card which measures less than four inches long and 2½ inches wide requires 3 cents postage.

The Post Office Department recommends that you will get more satisfaction if all your cards are sent first class, where the rate is 3 cents. Then the cards can be forwarded or returned if there is a return address on them. Sealed cards may have any writing you desire to enclose in them because, like letters, they go first class. Remember also that open cards with flap folded in must have 2 cents postage as that is the rate for this class of mail.

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The untimely death of two college students hung a pall of sadness over the West Texas State College campus last week. The two were William E. Thomson and Jack D. Stone. Both were exceedingly popular with other students and both were zealous, religious workers. Thomson was distinguished as being one of the youngest ordained Methodist preachers in the state. Stone had musical talent and led singing for many of the services conducted by Thomson.

Turning to the brighter side of life, last week the weather contributed a great deal to be thankful for. People who were tied to office jobs gazed out through the windows and wished for an opportunity to remain outside and bask in the warm sun. The return of Indian Summer fastened its long.

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ing for the out of doors upon Toney Brown. Even though a great many Christmas decorations were being put up in town, the glowing autumn weather made Christmas seem farther away than it had back in the early part of November.

No matter what the weather does, plans are still going forward to give Canyon a brighter appearance during the Yuletide holidays. Cecil Massey has announced that the nativity scene, which proved of such vast popular appeal, both with local people and tourists last year, would grace the top of the courthouse again this year. Additional planning has gone into the scene this year to make it even better than it was in the past.

Whoops, here's something for the shoppers. Another Dollar Day is looming up for them Friday. This should make it convenient for Christmas shoppers to take advantage of the values and at the same time get their Christmas shopping done early. The right thing to do is to visit the merchants on Dollar Day and see just what values they have in store for you. Make Dollar Day your regular savings day in Canyon.

Boone McClure is quite proud of the colorful art exhibit that will remain in the east wing of the museum about two more weeks. The paintings are the work of a former West Texas State College student. They are strikingly lovely because the artist has used very brilliant colors in most of them. People who think they can't appreciate art should make it a point to see this collection. The paintings portray the kind of beauty that everyone can appreciate.

One of the highlights of the year for Canyon during 1951 is sure to be the modernizing of the M. E. Moses 5 and 10 cent store. Gene Davis has had quite a load on his shoulders in getting the store prepared for the Christmas shoppers, but he has done an excellent job of carrying on business throughout the entire time of remodeling. Yep, comes the New Year, Mr. Davis will have earned the rest of mere routine operation of business and not the headaches of keeping the business open to the public while remodeling is going on. The efforts exerted in the building effort are sure to have their rewards because the business is already taking on the looks and atmosphere of a lovely, modern store usually found in much larger cities than Canyon.

Last Saturday morning Charlie Donnell was busy distributing his movie calendar for the final month of the year. This might not be the right place for a joke on movies, but it's too good to pass up. It seems that a fellow and his wife were discussing which movie to see. All of the theaters in town were showing double features. The wife asked which double feature would be best to see and the husband answered, "it doesn't matter, they're all the same. At each theater there is a piperoo and a stinkeroo." What he didn't say was the stinkeroo is always shown first and patrons have to sit through it before getting a chance at the piperoo.

Work and plans are going forward to welcome Governor Shivers at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet, January 15. Dr. Cornette is to be Master of Ceremonies, and the affair is to be held in the College cafeteria. Cecil Massey of the Chamber of

December Bride



Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dodson are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jvne, to James Paul Lindsey, son of Mr. Paul Lindsey of Canyon. Vows will be exchanged in the First Baptist Church on December 26 at 6:30 o'clock in the evening.

Commerce reports that only 400 tickets are to be sold and that members of the Chamber of Commerce will have first choice at them. Already, he reports, there have been requests for tickets from people in neighboring towns. So, you members of the Chamber of Commerce be sure to put in a word for your tickets early, and remember to get the number you want the first time, there may not be a second chance at them.

At this time of year one of the most popular general topics for discussion is the Christmas tree. There seems to be some difference as to when it should be put up, as well as when it should be taken down. Some say that the tree should be put up and decorated three weeks before Christmas while others say two weeks is enough time. Then there is that group who says the tree should be taken down and thrown in the alley the day after Christmas. Others say leave it up until New Year's Day. In fact, about the only thing that the people agree upon is the fact that a tree is necessary to provide the proper Christmas spirit. The time of putting it up and taking it down is strictly up to the individual. That is part of America's policy of a special brand of freedom.

Deals in Dirt

Neal K. Hynson and wife, Fenevieve M. F. Hynson, to A. Delton Grayson, all of lot no. 15 in block no. 9.

Curtis Powers and wife, Lula Marie Powers, to S. E. Inman, all of lot no. 11 in block no. "D". George Small and wife, Etta Small, to Clarence J. Maynard, all of lot no. 23 in block no. 33.

I. F. Barton and wife, Jewell Barton, to Russell Martin, all of lot no. 6 in block no. 5.

Amarillo Homes, Inc. to Hampton J. Stennis and wife, Joan Stennis, the south 30 feet of lot 15 and the north 20 feet of lot no. 16 in block 7-A.

Amarillo Homes, Inc. to Morris E. Bean and wife, Noreen H. Bean, all of lot no. 6 except the north 11 feet and the south 2 feet in block 8-A.

The Long Bell Lumber Co. to Samuel T. Reeder and wife, Evelyn Reeder, lot no. 17 in block no. "L".

Long Bell Lumber Co. to John M. Faris and wife, Eunice M. Faris, lot no. 20 in block no. "Q".

Amarillo Homes, Inc. to Belva H. Miller, Jr. and wife, Francis Miller, the south 39 feet of lot no. 5 and the north 11 feet of lot 6, in block no. 8-A.

The Long Bell Lumber Co. to Lester L. Temple and wife, Mary Temple, lot no. 21 in block "Q".

Amarillo Homes, Inc. to Eldon L. Moore and wife, Joyce H. Moore, the south 26 feet of lot no. 4 and the north 24 feet of lot no. 5 in block 8-A.

The Long Bell Lumber Co. to James Berle Henderson and wife, Nina Henderson, lot no. 2 in block no. "Q".

Amarillo Homes, Inc. to Gene T. Epley and wife, Nelda Epley, the south 2 feet of lot no. 6 and the north 48 feet of lot no. 7 in block no. 8-A.

Long Bell Lumber Co. to Edwin S. Johnson and wife, Ermine Johnson, lot no. 4 in block no. "Q".

Amarillo Homes, Inc. to Alfred M. Langone and wife, Donna Langone, the south 41 feet of lot no. 9 and the north 9 feet of lot no. 10 in block no. 8-A.

Amarillo Homes, Inc. to Eugene Manganello and wife, Marjorie Manganello, the south 15 feet of lot no. 7 and the north 35 feet of lot no. 8 in block no. 8-A.

Amarillo Homes, Inc. to Oscar H. Schroeder and wife, Floyd Dean Schroeder, the south 6 feet of lot no. 11 and the north 44 feet of lot no. 12 in block no. 8-A.

Long Bell Lumber Company to Wesley R. Izzard and wife, Kathryn Izzard, lot no. 19 in block no. "Q".

Amarillo Homes, Inc. to Jay C. Travis and wife, Choella Travis, the south 12 feet of lot no. 12 and the north 38 feet of lot no. 13, in block no. 7-A.

South Lawn Homes to Elton L.

Owens and wife, Marie Owens, lot no. 8 in block no. 9-A.

C. C. Lollar and wife, Beulah Lollar, to Willard B. Middleton and wife, Mildred E. Middleton, all of the west one-half of the northeast one-fourth of section no. 2 in block no. M-6.

Edward E. Thomas and wife, Helen Harrison Thomas, to S. L. McMahan, the northerly 90 feet of lot no. 3 of J. E. Bowman subdivision of the southeast part of section no. 228 in block no. 2.

Lewis M. Blackwell and wife, Lucille Blackwell, to Jack T. Hicks, tract of land out of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 185 in block no. 2.

Wolfin Park, Inc. to Weldon Howell, lot no. 7 in block no. 92.

F. Ray Bush and wife, Kate E. Bush, to John Freidt McMahon and wife, Allise Price McMahon, lot no. 2 in block no. 9.

Louis Wieck and wife, Mary Wieck, to Josephine Friemel, the south 200 acres of section no. 84 in block no. B-5.

Louis Wieck and wife, Mary Wieck, to Clara Reinhart, all of the middle 200 acres of section no. 51 in block no. B-5.

Louis Wieck and wife, Mary Wieck, to Elizabeth Skypala, all of the middle 200 acres of section no. 84 in block no. B-5.

Louis Wieck and wife, Mary Wieck, to John Wieck, all of the north 200 acres of section no. 51 in block no. B-5.

West Lawn Homes, Inc. to Joe Wesley Booth and wife, Joy Jewel Booth, lot no. 12 in block no. 4.

Bill A. Dodgin and wife, Mary Sue Dodgin, to M. L. McNew and wife, Allene McNew, all of lot no. 4 in block no. 5.

Rupell Sides and wife, Margaret Sides, to Martha Mary Sides, lot no. 10 in block no. 2.

F. S. Cochran and wife, Vern Cochran, to George S. McCarthy, lot no. 4 in block no. 105.

John H. Merchant and J. O. Fitzjarrald to K. H. Landrum, lot no. 1 in block 111.

Amarillo Homes, Inc. to Tom John Cowart and wife, Myrtle B. Cowart, the south 28 feet of lot no. 8 and the north 22 feet of lot no. 9 in block no. 8-A.

K. H. Landrum and Gladys Pearl Landrum, to Henry F. Gilbreath, lot no. 1 in block no. 111.

Long Bell Lumber Co. to Empire Investment Corporation, all of lot no. 16 in block no. "N".

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Long Bell Lumber Co. to Empire Investment Corporation, all of lot no. 12 in block no. "M".

Long Bell Lumber Co. to Empire Investment Corporation, all of lot no. 13 in block no. "M".

Clifford Turner and wife, Johnnie M. Turner, to N. H. Webb, lot no. 2 in block no. 4-B.

I. F. Barton and wife, Jewell Barton, to Randall Wester, the east 60 feet of lot no. 4 in block no. 2.

Johnnie Courtney to John W. Shaver, all of lot no. 12 in block no. 1-A.

A. R. Glenn to Lillie Glenn, lots nos. 10, 11, and 12 in block no. 7.

O. V. Donnell and wife, Marie Donnell, to Alvin T. Ford, lot no. 21 in block no. "H".

Letters to Santa . . .

Dear Santa,

I want a 26 inch Western Flyer bicycle for Christmas.

I want a black Bible and a boat that has airplanes on it that shoots off. I will leave you some candy, nuts, and coffee on the coffee table.

I am 8 years old and in the second grade at school. I have a very nice Mother and Daddy and want you to bring them something really nice. I have three sisters at home, Joyce, La Donna, and Marilyn. Bring them something nice too.

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Red-Held Isles Strongly Linked With Japanese

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Habomai Islands and Shikotan, mentioned as possible bones of contention in eventual treaty negotiations between Russia and Japan, consist of half a dozen islands and numerous islets, rocks, and shoals lying a 60-mile chain off northeasternmost Japan.

Soviet forces have occupied these land spots since shortly after V-J-day (1945) according to reports. In garrisoning them, Russia is seen to hold that they are part of the 730-mile-long Kuril (Chishima) Islands chain granted to Russia at the Yalta conference in 1945.

Japan cites geology as well as history to show that the Habomais and Shikotan are a short extension of the Nemuro Peninsula and not part of the Kurils. The Nemuro Peninsula is the eastern land tip of Hokkaido, northern of Japan's main-islands.

Japanese Fishing Grounds

The six islands line up roughly parallel to and some 30 miles southeast of Kunashiri, southernmost large island of the long Kuril chain. Lying partly within eyeshot of Hokkaido, they are exposed summits of the same ancient ridge as the Nemuro Peninsula, the Japanese point out, while the lofty Kurils are of much later formation. And in shifts of the past century involving the Kurils, Russia has not before questioned Japan's right to the Habomais and Shikotan.

The islands have long been important in Japanese commercial fishing. Crabs, scallops, and cod rank high in the commercial fisheries catch. About two-fifths of the kombu, a seaweed of major importance in Japanese diet, is harvested in this off-Nemuro chain. Fishermen flock from the Hokkaido towns in season, swelling the islands' normal 5,000 population.

Shikotan, with 60 square miles, has double the total area of the five Habomais. It stands alone as the outer anchor of the short chain, separated from Taraku, its nearest neighbor, by a channel 14 miles wide. Roughly a rectangle 15 miles long by five miles in width, Shikotan is the only hilly island, having heights near each end of 1,200 feet.

Shakotan on Shikotan

Shakotan, on a bay indenting Shikotan's cliff-bound north coast, is foremost of the island's dozen fishing villages. The 800 island residents of a decade ago were Japanese except for a tiny remnant of Ainus, a primitive Caucasian people resettled there from the northern Kurils in 1884.

The complete chain is sometimes called the Shikotan Archipelago. Existing maps and sailing guides, however, generally refer to the five smaller, inner islands as the Suisho group, after the island closest to the Nemuro Peninsula, or the Goyomais, after Goyomai Strait, separating Nemuro and Suisho. Habomai Islands is the name favored in recent years by the Japanese. Habomai is the name of a town on the Nemuro Peninsula close to its tip.

Historians Include A-Bomb Among 'Most Decisive Events'

HARRISBURG, Pa.—The atomic bomb is one of the "Ten Most Decisive Events of History," according to an informal poll of historians by Professor Louis L. Snyder of the College of the City of New York and Professor Richard B. Morris of Columbia University. While at least half of these events are of military nature, historians also include the discovery of anaesthesia, making possible surgery's progress, in the list which was compiled in connection with the new book "They Saw It Happen: Eyewitness Reports of Great Events" edited by Professors Snyder and Morris.

The "Ten Most Decisive Events" in chronological order—not in order of importance—are:

The Destruction of Carthage, 146 B.C.; Battle of Adrianople, 378 A.D.; Invention of Printing from Movable Type, c. 1450; Discovery of America, 1492; Advent of the Steam Engine, 1769; Declaration of Independence, 1789; Discovery of Anaesthesia, 1846; Assassination at Sarajevo, 1914; D-Day: Invasion of Fortress Europe, 1944; The Atomic Bomb, Alamogordo, N. M., 1945.

Most of the historians felt that the greatest event in the history of the human race was the discovery of fire, which took place ages before the historic period of written records.

False Teeth Provide Urgent Cold Weather Problems

WITH THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION IN KOREA—Marines of an infantry company here say one cold-weather problem still remains to be solved—and they doubt it can be done.

It seems their first sergeant, before "hitting the sack" one bitterly cold night when the Chinese Reds were sitting back licking their wounds, put his false teeth in a canteen cup of water.

Next morning the whole mixture—cup, water, teeth—was a solid mass of ice.

"Even a first sergeant can't solve that one," admit the grinning Leathernecks, "although an ice pick might help."

He who should teach men to die would at the same time teach them to live. —Michel de Montaigne.



By Dorothy Boys Kilian

"THIS HOUSEHOLD is in for a lean Christmas, all right," Bill Robinson said bitterly to his wife who had just come into the living room, dressed for marketing. Seated in an easy chair, he looked disgustedly down at his still-bandaged leg stretched out straight on an ottoman.

Margaret leaned over and brushed her cheek against his. "It's enough for us to see you getting well again, honey. When I first saw you after that auto accident, I was plumb scared for your life."

Bill squeezed her hand. "You're a brick, dear. But we can't expect our three- and five-year-old offspring to understand that doctor and hospital bills have completely strapped us. Why we can't even afford a tree, let alone presents."

Margaret was quite for a second. Then she stood up and, turning toward the door, said, "Speaking of the children, Bill, they're out in the kitchen with their water colors."



"What a swell bunch of fellows," he managed to say.

and the two little Johnson girls are with them. Mrs. Johnson had some last minute shopping to do, and I knew you wouldn't mind watching them again."

"O.K.," Bill answered. "That's the least I can do after the neighborly way they treated us through all this mess."

"I'll try to be home before your Cub Scout group descends upon you. Seven lively boys are a terrific handful, I know."

VOICES FROM the kitchen broke into the silence. Judy Johnson was saying excitedly, "I think I'm going to get a doll buggy."

Back came his own little Margie's answer, "I'm going to get a doll house."

"How do you know?"

"Oh, because I asked for one for my birthday last summer, and Daddy smiled and said probably one would come at Christmas."

Bill winced. It had been so easy, promising things for six months ahead.

Just then he heard Mrs. Johnson's hearty voice at the kitchen door. "Where's Mr. Robinson? I have something here for him."

"Oh, a Christmas tree!" The shrill voice of a child exclaimed.

MRS. JOHNSON was laughing as she appeared at the living room door. "Did you hear, Bill? Yes, I went shopping for our tree, and picked one up for you folks at the same time. It isn't so very tall, but it's big enough to cheer you all up."

Mrs. Johnson went on talking, to cover Bill's embarrassment. "I'll take all the youngsters over to my house for awhile." And she was gone.

"Some neighbor!" Bill glowed. "Still," his face clouded over, "That tree may only point up the lack of much under it."

A loud commotion at the front door drew his attention. "Come on in, the door's not locked," he called, recognizing the voices of his Cub Scouts.

A whirlwind of blue-clad boys swept into the room, their eyes sparkling with happy mischief.

"Oh, Mr. Robinson," the smallest one shrieked. "We've just finished all the—"

"We've been working after school every day at my house, making toys for your children," a second Cub burst in. "You should see—a doll house for Margie, and a doll bed and a kitchen cupboard!"

"And for little Bill, guess what!" The smallest boy couldn't keep quiet. "A wooden sled, and a garage for his little cars and some big blocks, all sanded and waxed and everything!"

Bill tossed his head to get rid of the drops of mist in the corners of his eyes. "What a swell bunch of fellows," he managed to say. "But why—"

"Why not?" the biggest Cub said happily. "You're the one who taught us how to use tools in the first place, aren't you? And besides, we just like the Robinsons!" He stopped suddenly, embarrassed.

"Well, fellows," Bill said, after a deep breath, "I certainly didn't think so a while ago, but this is going to be one of the happiest Christmases of my life!"

Thou canst not judge the life of man until death hath ended it. —Sophocles.

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Many Women Attend Cooking School



A part of the big crowd which attended the Canyon News Cooking School Thursday at the American Legion Hall. Not all of the crowd in the Hall could be included in the picture, and neither could all of the displays of electrical equipment be shown in the one picture. The school was attended by a large crowd each day Thursday and Friday.



Top panel pictures the three young women who were responsible for putting over the Cooking School with such decided grace and information for the large group which was gathered for this occasion.

Lower panel shows the distribution of 30 daily attendance prizes which were eagerly sought by the women attending the Cooking School. These attendance prizes were donated by the merchants of Canyon.

Wayside News

Our community was shocked to hear of the death of the 19-year-old Rev. Bill Thomson, the regular Methodist pastor of the Wayside Methodist Church. He was killed in a car accident just north of Canyon last Wednesday afternoon. He was a student at West Texas State College. His home was near Progress where his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Thomson and family, reside on a farm. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kennedy were Amarillo callers last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton McGehee were Amarillo callers one day last week.

Our community was grieved to learn of the passing of an early settler of this community. She was Mrs. Embury Wesley, formerly Lizzie Rogers. She died November

29th at her home in Canyon. The funeral was held at the new Fairview church, with Rev. McBrayer and Rev. Shaw, both of Happy, conducting the services. She was laid to rest in the Wayside Cemetery, near her father and mother, who preceded her many years ago. Our sympathy is with her many friends and loved ones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Franklin visited with his mother, Mrs. E. A. Franklin, in her home in Happy Sunday.

George Denny is at home after having a surgical operation on his arm in the Neblett Hospital in Canyon.

The Willie Modisette family spent Thanksgiving holidays with his father and mother near McAlester, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stockett are having hot water heating system installed in their home. Jack Dodson is home on furlough. The family celebrated a family reunion on Sunday in the

parental Roy Dodson home.

THANK YOU

We want to express our thanks and gratitude to the Speech Department of West Texas State College for sponsoring our Style Show and to Mr. W. A. Moore for his wonderful commendation.

Our special thanks to Opal Parsons for doing all the coiffures and her indispensable help during the show.

Thanks to our beautiful models — we were so very proud of them, and we believe our nice audience agreed with us.

Palo Duro Dress Shop

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lowry spent Sunday afternoon in Hereford in the home of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Lowry.

United States Air Force makes Tripoli great aerial base.

Freda Menke Has Degree from Baylor

Miss Freda Wilhelmina Menke recently received her bachelor's degree in business administration from Baylor University.

She was graduated in 1948 from Canyon High School.

She is a member of the Baylor-Panhandle Club and is majoring in office management and business teaching.

Miss Menke is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Menke of Amarillo.

Leroy Lowry, who teaches at the Amarillo Air Base, has been sent to Indianapolis, Indiana, for one month training for special instructors.

Help Keep Canyon Clean!

WON ANYWAY

The fancy dress dance was over and local gossips were comparing notes.

"Mrs. Smithington-Smythe looks upset, don't you think?" said one, gloatingly.

"Yes, my dear, she came as a Hawaiian beauty, with grass skirts and all — and they awarded her first prize in the humorous section as The Old Thatched Cottage."

Buy, Build, Live in Canyon!

ELECTRIC POWER

With less than seven per cent of the world's population, the United States produces nearly one-half of the world's supply of electricity. Production will reach a new high this year of 370,000,000,000 kilowatt-hours, or better than one billion kilowatt-hours a day.

Eric Johnston, Economic Stabilizer: "It is the kind of production we are undertaking that is causing inflationary danger."

VETERANS

An estimated 25,000,000 Americans have fought this nation's eight wars, according to Carl R. Gray, Veterans Administrator. He said 18,828,000 of them are still alive and 935,000 were killed in battle.

Charles E. Wilson, Defense Mobilizer: "The time has come when even the richest country in the world has to consider the problems of raw materials scarcity and the need for conservation."

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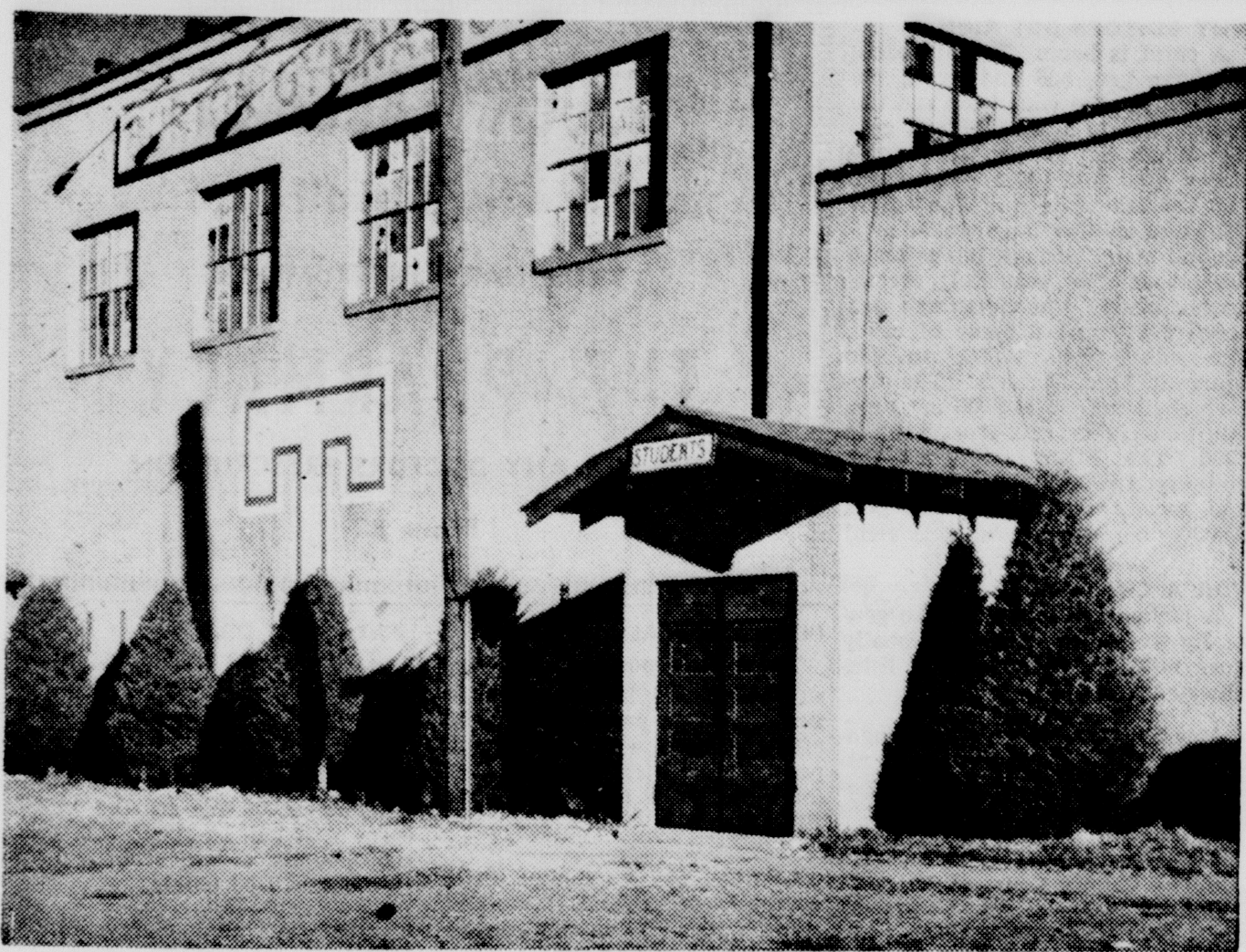
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WARWICK'S



Burton Gymnasium -- the building where Buffalo basketball teams have played for the past 26 seasons -- will come to the end of its line tonight as the college begins a new age of the sport by opening the \$400,000 Field House. Nearly 1000 college games, innumerable high school games, boxing matches, intramural sports and dances have been housed in the venerable gymnasium.

Few Colleges Can Boast Cage Records Better Than Buffaloes'

Symbols of the past, echoing silently the glory of former years, are no better personified to present-day students of West Texas State than the dilapidated, worn-out remnants of Burton Gymnasium.

The once-proud building, for many years dying, will come to the end of its days as the Buffaloes begin a new era in the brand new Field House.

It was 27 years ago, on October 14, 1924, that the first spade of ground was dug for the ancient gymnasium. Four months later, almost to the day, the first game was played in it. Today, thousands of games later, marks the end of her career.

Standing on the dedication platform on the October Day when

Burton Gym was begun were star athletes and the West Texas State Athletics Committee. Dr. D. A. Shirley was chairman of the committee. Others included Coach Burton, T. B. McCarter, W. E. Lockhart, then head of the Business Administration Department; Elizabeth Dabbs, head of women's physical education; R. A. Terrill, Dr. J. A. Hill, Clyde W. Warwick, publisher of The Canyon News; C. R. Burrow, Canyon lumberman; Senator J. W. Reed, one-time head of the chemistry department.

The years between 1925 and 1951 could be marked off in three distinct periods as to the career of Burton Gym. Each of the periods of time in those years was truly different from the other, particularly in basketball.

Founder, and in whose memory the gym was named, of the plant was Coach Sam D. Burton, whose teams won so many titles between 1922 and his death in 1933 that they could hardly all be recalled in one space.

He built basketball teams which won the first national recognition for West Texas State. When he came here games were played in what is now the girl's gym. Spectators stood around the edges and watched.

By 1923, the year after Burton became coach here, his teams had proved themselves so good that people could not get in the seatless gym in large enough numbers. It became apparent that a gym with no seats and a winning basketball team would not work out, so plans were laid for building something that would seat the crowds wishing to see the games. Dr. Hill, then president of the college, said Coach Burton and he both tried vainly to get the Texas legislature to appropriate money for the athletic house, but they could see nothing but folly in the idea. That left only one road open.

Also, in 1923, West Texas State was admitted to the Texas Intercollegiate Athletic Association, and was playing schools from all over the state. Some of the teams in TIAA refused to play WT in their standing-room-only gym. That was a major factor in planning a new athletic house.

R. A. Terrill, head of the Industrial Arts department, was mastermind of the new gymnasium.

He drew the plans, discussed them with the athletic committee and then set to work, calling on Canyon people and students to pitch in on the building. It was erected in an amazingly short time.

As Dr. Hill put in, Burton gym, then called merely College Gym, was constructed of "chips and whetstones."

All through the three months of constructing the building, criticism arose over the size of the gymnasium. In this section of the country, where towns were far apart, roads were bad and transportation irregular, people thought there would never be any need for a building to seat a tremendous crowd of 1,400 people. But their fears were soon extinguished, because in February, 1925, when the first game was played in the gym, 1,600 people turned out and bulged the still wet seams. It might be said, looking back from the view we have today, that the new Buff Field House was already needed.

Nevertheless, it was one of the finest athletic buildings in Texas at that time, with many modern conveniences, and most important, it furnished a place where basketball teams throughout the Panhandle could come to play in tournaments.

Aside from varsity basketball and high school tournaments played in College Gym, many other athletic activities had their headquarters there.

A quarter of a century ago, handball was a popular pastime on this campus. A special room, deep under the building was erected for that purpose. According to Dean of Men Mitchell Jones, then a student at WT, the court was extensively used until the late thirties.

Another sport which held much interest in the '20's and even later was wrestling. Mr. Jones said WT had some of the finest wrestling teams in the country at that time. On a higher level, but under the bleachers of Burton gym is a room especially for wrestling practice. The mat still lies on the floor, slightly mildewed.

Other sports participated in by students then was fencing. As late as two years ago, there were two rusty fencing foils still standing in a corner of the gym.

But the main sport other than college basketball was intramurals. They were almost as popular as the varsity team during the late '20's and early '30's. In fact, they rivaled the varsity team in importance, as far as participation and student interest were concerned.

The second era of Burton gym began in the fall of 1933, after the sudden death of Coach Burton in the summer of that year. Shortly afterward, Al Baggett became basketball coach. However, the season of 1934 was one of the most dismal in the history of the school. The Buffaloes closed that year with only slightly over a .300 average.

It wasn't long, though, until the new coach opened once again the great teams of West Texas State. It was in the mid-thirties that the Buffaloes became known as the "Tallest Basketball Team in the World."

Under Baggett, the teams won many more titles, playing in national tournaments numerous times and bringing national recognition to the college by way of articles in magazines.

But the rafters of Burton Gym rang many times from 1934 to 1943, the year Baggett went to the service. Crowds of thousands were turned away from games, and the need for a new building to house the great teams was becoming more apparent with each game.

The second world war slowed things considerably, at least in the realm of college basketball. W. A. Miller, now head mentor of the Buff eagles, was brought to the campus to carry on the tradition, and the third era began. This era comes to a close tonight.

HISTORY OF BURTON GYM IN BRIEF

Started: October 24, 1924
Completed: February 24, 1925
Seating Capacity: 1,400
Size: 96x104 feet Ceiling 28 ft.
Materials: Steel, hollow tile, pebble dash finish
Floor Size: 52x96 (Standard)
Cost: \$14,000
Games Played by Buffs Since Construction: (Includes away from home games) 659
Games Won: 486
Percentage: .738

the rafters shaken by cheering throngs is enough to spell doom to any gymnasium. And Burton Gym, which has lived a full life, indeed, and overflowing life, is now considered a dead building.

But the improvements made in the new gym will more than make up for the loss of the old. Only \$14,000 was used in building Burton Gym. Over \$400,000 is being poured into the new field house.

So as the plaster on Burton Gym chips off, the paint peels, the floor buckles, and the basement mildews in silence, the basketball prowess of West Texas State moves into a new building. Many ex-students will no doubt wonder if the thrill of moving into a new gym today quite matches that of moving into one 27 years ago.

In dedicating the new field house, words which appeared in the 1925 issue of Le Mirage, college annual, may be worth repeating. They said, "Another WTSTC dream has been realized. But the dream itself could have accomplished nothing had it not been for the aggressiveness and loyalty of our student body, friends and faculty. A gym has been built . . . that would do credit to any college in Texas . . ."

—Frank Stallings

Protection of Eyes Is Major Need In Texas Today

One of your most valued assets is good eyes. Many people thoughtlessly abuse the eyes and think little about it until trouble comes, declares Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

What can you do to protect your eyes? Avoid unnecessary strain by reading in good position and with sufficient light. If your eyes bother you, have them examined by a physician trained especially in diseases of the eye.

Eye strain begins when you need to use too much effort to focus clearly. If you have normal eyes, you do not need to use the focusing muscles to see clearly at a distance; and when you look at something close, like reading matter, you need to focus only a little. If you are farsighted, your eyes have to focus even when you look far away, and when you read, you have to focus a lot more than a person with normal eyes.

Children have strong focusing muscles, and their eyes do not tire easily or usually need glasses unless they have a large amount of far-sightedness. Then they need glasses to do the focusing and give their eyes a rest. Older people have weaker focusing muscles and usually need glasses for reading when they are about 45 years old. For other specific eye difficulties glasses may be needed.

CHILD'S IDEA

"I don't want my face washed," cried Jane.
"Oh, come now," grandmother coaxed, "I've washed my face three times a day since I was a little girl like you."
Jane (looking at the wrinkles).
"Yes, and just see how it shrunk."

NATURALLY

The Sergeant was taking particulars from a new recruit.
"Are you married?"
"Yes, sir."
"Any children?"
"Yes, sir. Five girls and four boys."
"Nine altogether."
"No sir—one at a time."

Robert A. Lovett, Secretary of Defense: "Despite a flurry of recent reports of sensational new weapons, no magic way of winning wars is yet at hand."

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STRANGE AS IT SEEMS

Surprisingly, raw liquor requires further processing before its use in explosives.

Harry S. Truman: "The plain fact is that the Communists may try to resume the offensive in Korea at any time."

Dollar Day

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CANDLE HOLDERS	\$10.00
LARGE FLOWER BASKETS	\$1.80
SMALL FLOWER BASKETS	\$1.00
PICKLE DISHES	\$1.00
LAP TRAYS	\$1.50
NAPKIN and MATCH SETS, 2 for	\$1.00
CANDY DISHES	\$1.00
CANASTA SHUFFLE CUT	65c
FINGER TIP GUEST TOWELS, 2 For	\$1.00
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Merle Bullard - Tommy Sherrill Vows Solemnized at First Methodist Church



Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sherrill

Before an altar flanked with baskets of yellow gladiolus and candleabra, Miss Merle Bullard became the bride of Tommy H. Sherrill of Sudan on Thursday, November 29, at 7:30 in the evening at the First Methodist Church with the Rev. U. S. Sherrill, father of the groom and pastor of the First Methodist Church of Sudan, performing the double ring ceremony.

Miss Bullard is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Bullard of Canyon and Mr. Sherrill is the son of Rev. and Mrs. U. S. Sherrill of Sudan.

Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. Glenn Dowlen, organist, played "Etude in E Major" by Chopin; "Prelude" by Tschakovsky; and "Indian Love Call" by Friml. Miss Donna Erwin, accompanied by Mrs. Dowlen, sang "I Love Thee" by Grieg and "O Promise Me" by De Koven. During the ceremony, "Clair de Lune" by Debussy was played as background music. The traditional wedding marches were used.

Attending the bride as bridesmaid was Miss Barbara McDougal, wearing a green taffeta dress fashioned with sheer top and full skirt covered with bronze net. She carried a nosegay of yellow mums. Miss Lorraine Carter, maid of honor, wore a bronze taffeta dress also having a sheer top and full skirt covered with yellow net. She carried a nosegay of dark bronze mums.

Best man was Buddy Wiseman and groomsmen were Joe Abbott. Serving as ushers were Don Light of Panhandle, Melvin El-

tal. The centerpiece was the attendants' bouquets and they were flanked with triple crystal holders and white tapers.

Those presiding at the table were Mrs. Ivan Bullard and Mrs. Travis White, assisted by Mrs. Jim Carter and Mrs. Rae M. Walter. Mrs. Joe Abbott presided at the bride's book.

The bride traveled in a chocolate brown dress suit with rose accessories and a felt fur hat.

After December 1st the couple will be home at 607 1/2 5th Avenue.

Mrs. Sherrill is a graduate of Canyon High School where she was a member of Junior Who's Who, National Honor Society, and president of F. H. A. In 1949 she was elected Halloween Queen and in 1950 as manager of the Eaglettes. At the present time Mrs. Sherrill is employed by the First National Bank in Canyon.

Mr. Sherrill is a graduate of Sudan High School where he was an outstanding athlete. He also won a scholarship to West Texas State College where he is now enrolled in school. Mr. Sherrill is majoring in Physical Education.

A LONG TIME

In the post office of a village a stranger saw the local patriarch whistling. A bystander informed him that the old fellow had already passed his one hundredth birthday. Impressed, the stranger exclaimed: "Isn't that amazing?" "We don't see nothin' amazin' 'bout it round here," was the laconic reply. "All he's done is grow old — and he took longer than most people would to do that!"

GREAT EXERCISE

A portly-amateur soprano wanted a job in a burlesque. She went to interview an agent and showed him a list of the "numbers" she could sing. The agent glanced through it and then looked at the girl.

"You've got a pretty good repertoire, haven't you?" he said. "Well," replied the singer, with a slight blush, "it's the singing that develops one, you know."

PUBLIC AID

The major public assistance programs have shown a downward trend since January, according to Federal Security Administrator Oscar R. Ewing. During July, 5,500,000 persons were receiving aid from Federal, state and local funds, with payments totaling \$188,139,000. In July, 1950, 6,000,000 persons were getting aid—amounting to \$194,691,000.

Anthony Eden, Britain's Foreign Minister, is interested in cooking a backstage deal that would give Communist China a membership in U. N. plus Formosa as a price for stopping the war in Korea. U. S. is not ready to go along on a deal of that kind.

Diplomats, and not Gen. Matthew Ridgway, Supreme Commander in Japan, had the idea for a tacit cease-fire on the ground in Korea. The idea was to show other nations that U. S. was ready to stop shooting if Communists would stop.

The production of broilers and eggs will be larger in 1952, with prices averaging about the same as this year, according to the Agriculture Department.



Election Fraud

They say nothing is more uncommon than a Republican voter in Mississippi, as this story proves.

The election board in this Mississippi town came across a Republican vote. Caught by surprise, they didn't know what to do, so they laid it aside. Some time later they found a second G.O.P. vote. By now entirely confused, they visited the election judge.

"Why," the judge roared, "throw 'em both out—the dirty so-and-so voted twice!"

Comeback

Taxi Driver—(Helping obese lady into cab) "You ought to take yeast, sister, to help you rise better."

Corpulent Lady — "Take some yourself, brother. You'll be better bred."

YAKETY-YAK



Jones suggested to his wife that they go over to the neighbor's house and watch the baseball game on television. For three hours they watched the game, then sat through a wrestling match for another hour. Finally Mrs. Jones said:

"Harry, don't you think it's about time . . ."

"Say!" interrupted her husband, "did you come over here to jabber or to watch television?"

Just as Effective

Jud had been given a jail sentence for stealing a keg of beer. An elderly lady, who made it a practice to visit the prisoners, sought to comfort him. "Remember," she said brightly, "stone walls do not a prison make." "That may be," replied Jud, gloomily, "but they sure keep a fellow from getting out."

FAIR DIVISION



His health wasn't any too good, so the Eastern city-dweller went looking for a place to live in the Southwest. In one small town in Arizona he approached an old timer sitting on the steps of the general store. "Say," he asked, "What's the death rate around here?"

"Same as it is back East, bub," answered the old fellow, "one to a person."

No Guide Needed

The two women were telling each other about weddings. "I went to Jean's wedding the other day and, as she and the groom were going down the aisle, the lights went out!"

"Goo'ness!" exclaimed the other femme. "What did they do?" "They just kept on walking. This is Jean's seventh marriage, you know, and she's familiar with every step of the way."

The Truth

Many a man who is proud of his right to say what he pleases, wishes he had the courage to do so.

YOUNG AMERICA

The beginners at Sunday school were told to draw a picture of the flight into Egypt. One little girl turned in a picture of an airplane, with three people in the back, wearing halos, and a fourth up front, without a halo. Perplexed, the teacher asked the little girl who the fourth person was.

"Oh," replied the youngster, "that's Pontius, the pilot."

Evidence indicates man existed in Montana 10,000 years ago.

WHY EDITORS GET RICH

A child is born. The attending physician gets \$25 and more; the editor gives the youngster and the happy parents a send-off and gets \$0. When it is christened the clergy gets \$10. The editor gets \$0.00 for his write-up. The editor publishes another long-winded article and many perhaps tell a dozen lies about the beautiful, accomplished bride. The clergyman gets another \$10 and a piece of cake. The editor gets \$0.00. In the course of time, she dies. The doctor gets from \$25 to \$100 or more. The undertaker gets from \$200 to \$500. The editor publishes the obituary, two columns long, lodge and society resolutions, and gets \$0.00. No wonder he gets rich!

FOR A CHANGE

A pickpocket is a man who generally lives alone but occasionally goes out in a crowd for a little change.

Marshal Tito, Premier of Yugoslavia: "We do not persecute religion but we require that no political elements be introduced into it."

In The County Court of Randall County, Texas, sitting at Canyon, Randall County, Texas.

IN RE: JOHN STEVENSON HILL, A MINOR.

No. 673 In Probate NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO ALL PERSON INTERESTED IN THE ABOVE MINOR OR HIS ESTATE:

You are hereby notified that I have on the 24th day of November 1951, filed with the County Clerk of Randall County Texas, an application under oath for authority to make an oil or gas lease on that certain real estate belonging to John Stevenson Hill, described as follows:

His undivided One-fourth (1/4) interest in and to Section Number One Hundred Seventy-seven (177), of Block 6, of the I. & G. N. R. R. Co. Survey, Randall County, Texas. Reference is made to such application.

That Burney Slack, Judge of the County Court of Randall County, Texas, on the 27th day of November, 1951, duly entered his order designating the 22nd day of December, 1951, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the County Courtroom in the Courthouse of such County as the time and place when and where such application would be heard and that such application would be heard at that time and place.

Mary Elizabeth LaFollette Guardian of John Stevenson Hill, a Minor.

W. S. Birge, 305 Barfield Bldg., Amarillo, Texas. Attorney for Guardian.

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VETERINARY INSTRUMENTS

THE PHARMACY

WE FILL ANY DOCTORS PRESCRIPTION

Phone 32

PENNY POSTALS

The penny postcard is doomed as of February 1st, when the new 2-cent rate on postals will go into effect. There will also be a ten per cent raise in mailing charges for newspapers and magazines on April 1st.

George C. Marshall, retiring Secretary of Defense: "Our whole future depends on the strength of our economy and the solidarity of our people to stand fast."

FATS AND OILS

There will be no shortage of fats and oils this year, according to George L. Prichard, director of the fats and oils branch of the Production and Marketing Administration in Washington. Over-all domestic production of oils for the 1951-52 crop year will be about 12,600,000,000 pounds, of which about 9,000,000,000 will be edible.

Daniel A. Poling, clergyman: "No true friendship exists between two persons who are exactly alike."

We Are Starting Our SALE ON DOLLAR DAY

Closing out several lines at a real sacrifice.

SUITS — DRESSES

COATS — SKIRTS

Many Other Items Too Numerous To Mention.

PALO DURO DRESS SHOP

Griffin's Truck Stop

We have twenty-five air-way Sanotizers, for sale, retail \$117.50 at a real discount.

Highway 87

Phone 188

Randall County Activity Calendar

December 5th, Wednesday

BASKETBALL GAME at 8:00 P. M. between Buffs and University of New Mexico.

December 6th and 7th, Thursday and Friday

JUNIOR CLASSPLAY "Cheaper by The Dozen" at 8:00 P. M. in High School Auditorium.

December 8th, Saturday

Girls A Team plays basketball at Happy at 7:00 P. M.

December 11th, Tuesday

Boys A and B Teams play Phillips

13th, 14th and 15th, Thursday, Friday and Saturday

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT at Happy, Boys and Girls A Teams.

ANY GROUP IS WELCOME TO BRING US THEIR ANNOUNCEMENTS TO BE RUN IN THIS SPACE EACH WEEK AT NO COST TO THEM.

THOMPSON'S

Hardware—Housewares
Furniture—Farm Equipment

DOLLAR DAY

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Nylon Panties \$1.00

Dresses one group \$5.00

Dresses one group \$10.00

Coats for Dollar Day 1/3 off

Suits for Dollar Day 1/3 off

Blouses one group 1/2 price

Skirts one group 1/2 price

McDONALD'S SHOP

We Give Gunn Bros. Stamps

GRAND OPENING

M. E. MOSES COMPANY

5c - 10c - 25c & \$1.00 Store

Thursday, December 6, 9 A. M.

A BRAND NEW STORE OCCUPYING SIX THOUSAND SQUARE FEET OF FLOOR SPACE, WITH THE NEWEST AND LATEST DESIGN IN STORE FIXTURES AND EQUIPPED WITH THE VERY LATEST IN SLIMLINE FLUORESCENT LIGHTING, ALL FOR MORE EFFICIENT SERVICE TO OUR PATRONS.

Much time and effort has been spent on planning this store to make it complete and up to date to better serve our Customers of Canyon and all the surrounding trading area. We appreciate your loyal patronage in the past and hope now with a much larger store to better serve you in the future.

All departments have been enlarged, and many items have been added in this new larger store.

Complete Holiday showing of Toys, Gifts, Christmas wrapping supplies, Christmas Decorations, Christmas Cards, many new Novelty items bought especially for this new store opening and the Holiday Season, and a complete line of staple variety merchandise in all departments.



TOYLAND

It's the treat of the year for girls and boys. Our toy department in this big new store is crammed to the corners with toys for all ages . . . Toys that teach, toys that build sound minds and healthy bodies. Bring the whole family down now — and again and again between now and Christmas eve!

Opening Day Specials

LADIES RAYON PANTIES

Colors—Pink, Blue and White
Medium and Large Sizes

Opening Day — 19c



Beautiful Dolls in Blanket

Priced at . . . \$2.98

Others larger \$5.98 and \$9.98



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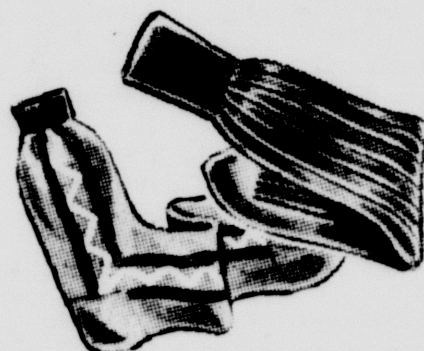
ORANGE SLICES
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15c Lb.

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MEN'S

Banner Wrap Hose

Beautiful Patterns
Slightly Irregulars
49c VALUES

Pair 22c

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Opening Day

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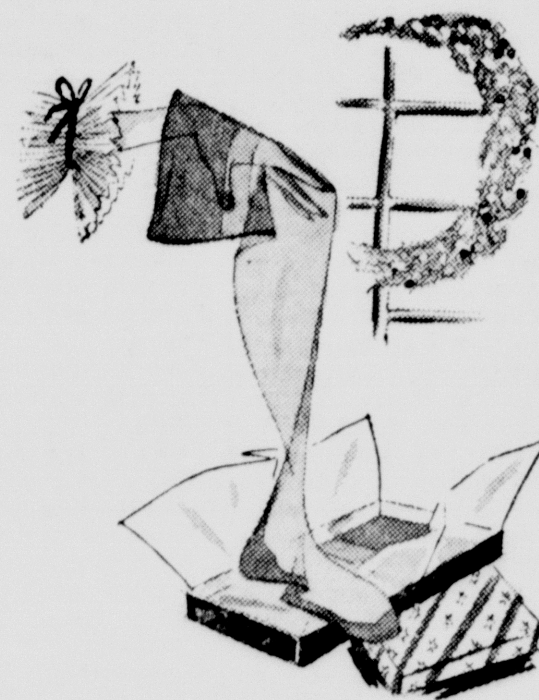


BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT GREETINGS CARDS for Christmas

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BOXED ASSORTMENTS

10 and 16 Count	29c Box
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21 and 52 Count	59c Box
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Ladies Nylon Hose

54 Gauge, 15 Denier

Slightly Irregulars

FOR OPENING DAY

49c Pair



FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS TREE A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF DECORATIONS.

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| Light sets | Tree tops |
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| Angel hair | Plastic and Mica Snow |
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| Christmas Table Decorations | |

Christmas Napkins, cups, plates, Table covers. . . and many other miscellaneous Christmas decorations for a happy and joyous Holiday season to select from.



BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT CHRISTMAS BOXES

Foil paper in beautiful colors as well as many assorted patterns in gift wraps.

Tying ribbons in many colors, widths and patterns to select from in this large Gift wrap department.

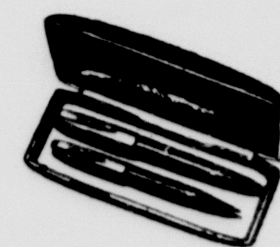


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CANYON

TEXAS



Wide selection Christmas Gifts for the entire family. Many special purchases for the opening of this big new store, suitable for holiday gifts.

Visit this new store, shop leisurely . . . At a saving in prices.

The Eagle's Tale

26th Year

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CONCENTRATION HELPS

Do you have trouble staying awake in class? Sometimes, especially if you have been out late the night before, it is really very hard to sit in a warm room while the teacher is reading or talking, and not get drowsy. Since coffee is not usually available at that time, and isn't good for you anyway, and pinching yourself only makes bruises, there is only one thing left to do, (drastic but effective), listen to the lesson!

Concentrate on what the teacher is saying. It may be an interesting subject. After all, it won't hurt you to try it, and it may help your grade.

So remember, when you find your mind wandering and you feel yourself getting drowsy, sit up straight, take your book, and if nothing else helps, start outlining several chapters. If this doesn't help, go home! You "shoulda stayed in bed."

TRADITIONS OF CHS

What is tradition? That is a question which many people cannot answer directly. According to Webster's, though, it is the "oral transmission of information, opinions, beliefs, or written memorials."

Tradition binds a group together in a unity that is lasting. Our school colors were perhaps suggested by someone many years ago. Other colors were probably used before, but the students decided that they liked purple and white better than the others. Now, we all take great pride when we see the colors anywhere. It seems to unite the whole school in a compact group.

Another tradition, and perhaps the best known, is the Halloween Carnival. It is not only a source of income for the classes and P.T.A., but is fun for everyone. Each class has its own booth in which games are played and things are sold. Each tries to make more money than the others. Tension runs high when the Halloween Queen contest is close. The annual staff has the booth for voting on the queen and makes Her Majesty's crown.

The Eagle's Tale staff has charge of the coronation ceremony, which is held after the carnival. The editor, chosen from those in the journalism class, is traditionally master of ceremonies and crowns the queen. The beauty and splendor of the coronation ceremony is a sight to behold.

CHS has other traditions which have come to be a source of pride to every student. We shall present a few each week in order to acquaint everyone with as many of these as possible.

Calendar of Events

Tuesday, December 4

Girls A Basketball vs Vega at Vega, 7:00 p. m.
Quarterback Club meeting at 8:00 p. m.

Thursday, Friday, December 6-7

Junior Play, 8:00 p. m.
in HS Auditorium

Saturday, December 8

Girls A Basketball vs Happy in Happy, 7:00 p. m.

Monday, December 10

Rainbow Girls meeting in Masonic Hall at 7:00 p. m.
FFA Meeting at 7:30 in cafeteria.

Tuesday, December 11

Quarterback Club, 8:00 p. m. meeting in cafeteria.
Erman Gray - Southern School Assembly at 10:15.
Boys Basketball vs Phillips at Phillips.

It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord — Psalms 92: 1.



Ole' Cal had been sitting around watchin' school life go by and pickin' up a few things here and there.

Glancing at statistics Ole' Cal finds many students are late to classes every day. This phenomenon has reached its culmination! There seems to be a sign out in front of the school house which says: 'School — Slow' — is this the reason?

"Time is but the stream I go a-fishin' in. I drink at it, but as I drink I see its sandy bottom and detect how shallow it is. Its thin currents slide away but eternity remains."

Thoreau

"Grades are but the goal I go a-wishin' at. I think at it, but as I think, I see me hitting bottom and detect how futile it is. It's thin a's slidaway but the F's remain."

TooLow

"All the school is waiting

For that glorious day.

When all the bossy Seniors

GET OUT OF THE WAY!

The Junior Play cast would like to thank Mrs. Ed Bourn for a delicious and beautiful cake. The cake was a large three layer chocolate. Rose buds and leaves with the inscription, "To, Cheaper by the Dozen," adorned the cake.

Nell seems to like cough drops!!

A freshman is like a radio; you never know what they're going to say next!

Cal sez: "Don't ever prophesy; If you prophesy wrong, nobody will forget it, and if you prophesy right nobody will remember it."

So Long,

Cal

TEENS of the WEEK

Who: Marcietta Bynum

Nickname: Mickey

Favorite place to go: Dancing

Favorite car: Chevrolet

Favorite food: Fried chicken

Favorite sport: Football

Favorite male star: Montgomery

Clift

Favorite female star: June Ally-

son

Favorite person: Pat Ford

Childhood ambition: To be a sing-

er

Present ambition: To graduate

Future plans: To be a private

secretary

Biggest thrill: To graduate

Who: Virginia Thomas

Nickname: Useless

Favorite place to go: To the show

Favorite color: Blue

Favorite car: '47 Mercury

Favorite food: Fried chicken

Favorite person: Mrs. Ray Schultz

Person would like most to meet:

Jane Wyman

Hobby: Trying to read shorthand

Childhood ambition: Start to

school

Present ambition: Finish school

Future plans: To be a secretary

Biggest thrill: Passing tests.

NOT A MISPRINT, EITHER

A-1 toolmakers, experienced jig and fixture inspectors. Age limit, 45 to 98 years. — Want ad in the Detroit News.

AIN'T IT SO?

The powder that goes off with a bang sometimes is less dangerous than the powder that goes on with a puff.

What maintains one vice would bring up two children. — Ben Franklin.



Pictured above are the members of the Canyon Eagles' "B" team. Those in the front row from left to right are: Leroy Burrow, Ken Kuykendall, Harold Root, Larry Porter, Charles Joyner, Mitch Murry, Curtis Dickson, Don Beck, Jimmy Golden, Ted Lowe, and R. A. Burgess. Standing from left to right are: Bob Hood, Joe Britt, Kenneth Berry, Bernice Morris, James Joyner, David Brandon, Calvin Costly, Charles Boling, Jerry Downing, Billy McBroom and Coach Lynn Hulsey.

'B' Team Second Place in District

Canyon Eagles 'B' team was second in district in football. This hustling bunch of boys showed true sportsmanship; win or lose, their spirit was always high.

The team varied in size from Mitch Murry, 4 feet 8 inches, to Bob Hood, 6 feet. Outstanding players during the season were Charles Boling, Bob Hood, Ted Lowe, R. A. Burgess, James Joyner, Don Beck, and Larry Porter.

Lynn Hulsey, teacher at West Texas Elementary School, coached this team. R. A. Burgess and Leroy Burrow were co-captains.

Results of the season were:

Canyon 8	Dimmitt 19
Canyon 13	Sam Houston 19
Canyon 7	Wellington 14
Canyon 6	Memphis 19
Canyon 21	Eliz. Nixon 41
Canyon 6	Phillips 36
Canyon 12	Hereford 20
Canyon 1	Tulia (forfeit) 0
Canyon 28	Floydada 14

Bull-e-Teens!

CHRISTMAS SONGS

As the choir and ensemble groups of Canyon High School sing the beautiful Christmas carols, they remind the students that the Christmas holidays are fast approaching.

"It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," "Noel," "Silent Night," "Christmas Hymn," and many other traditional carols are heard at intervals in the day throughout the high school building from the music classes in the auditorium, rushing one's thoughts on to the beginning of the Christmas holidays.

Yes, there are only 19 days until Christmas, which include just 15 shopping days until "Old Saint Nick" shall come to visit your home or, to be more specific, only 465 hours, 35 minutes, and 21 seconds until the great event.

LONDON BARRETT

Landon Barrett, senior of Canyon High School, has volunteered in the Air Force, and is now stationed at the Air Base in San Antonio.

Basketball

"A" GAME

Winning their first game of the season the Canyon Eagles scammed past the River Road team with a score of 47-23.

The game was a scrimmage game to help Coach Murry decide on the starting lineup this year.

EAGLETES WIN

Winning by a score of 67-25, the Eaglettes are off to a fine start this year, after a fine showing in their first game against River Road, here Tuesday, November 27.

High point girl for the game was Pat Ford with a total of 46 points. Starting line-up for the game was as follows: Barbara Glanton, Pat Ford, Tysene Cox, La Rue Davis, Joann Dodson, and Patsy Priddy.

High point player for the "B" game was Joan Mickey, who scored 20 points. River Road "B" team was defeated by Eaglettes' "B" team, 52-4. Starting for the "B" team was Lila Mae Hunter, Martha McBroom, Joan Mickey, Dorothy Cleavinger, Marieta Sanders, and Dovie Keene.

Dating Data

It is better to give than to receive.

Since Christmas is nearing, are you thinking about the Christmas cards you are going to send or the ones you are going to receive? Did you ever stop to think how much one small card will mean to someone who is away from home and will be unable to spend Christmas with his folks. He would be very happy to know that his friends are thinking about him.

Juniors Present Hilarious Comedy "Cheaper By The Dozen," Dec. 6-7

Confusion reigns supreme in the junior play, "Cheaper by the Dozen," to be presented December 6 and 7, at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. Don't miss it!

Members of the cast are: Mr. Gilbreth, Ralph Green; Mrs. Gilbreth, Frances Cunningham; Frank, John Miller; Ernestine, Laura Smith; Martha, Peggy Bonds; Larry, Doyle Bourn; and Joe Scales, Dick Dawdy.

The role of Anne will be played by Barbara Glanton one night and Sarah Colwell the next night.

Other members of the cast are: Jackie, Tommy Myers; Dan, Ed Harrell; Bill, W. M. Thompson; Fred, Don McDonald; Lillian, Elvira Boyd; Mrs. Fitzgerald, Lynn McKinney; Dr. Burton, Willie Mac Weaver; and Miss Brill, Dorothy Cleavinger.

Every member of the junior class has assisted in the production of the play. Students working on the building of the stage and props were: Coy Black, Tysene Cox, La Rue Davis, Leroy Dickerson, Leroy Haddock, Guy Hamblen, Juan Hernandez, Roy McCarter, Len McKay, Clifton Newberry, Richard Pruett, Jimmy Reese, Bob Ratliff, Margie Roberts, Carlene Rogers, Harold Root, Marieta Sanders, and Grace Sheets.

Chairman of the ticket sales committee was June Wortham, assisted by James Joyner. The com-

Marimbist Gray Will Entertain

Erman Gray, marimba artist, musician, actor, teacher, entertainer, and traveler, will appear in Canyon High School December 11, at 10:15.

Mr. Gray is from New Mexico, and has appeared in concerts in more than 2,000 schools. He has recently completed a tour of 20 Western and Mid-western States, appearing in concerts in all the major cities.

One of America's foremost marimbists, he features a four mallet technique which brings out the tonal beauty and range of the brilliant Deagan Imperial Marimba. This instrument is a thing of beauty with bars of Honduras rosewood, frame in mahogany finish, and resonators of fine brass with 14-carat gold plate, and is considered by experts one of the finest marimbas in tone and beauty ever made.

Many popular classics and semi-classics, all time popular favorites and novelty numbers, will make up his program.

Mr. Gray is also an accomplished saxophonist and clarinetist and demonstrates these instruments in a novel way that is not only instructive but highly entertaining. Erman Gray has taught privately and in public schools in Missouri, Texas, and New Mexico. He is from a musical family, "The Musical Grays," which consists of his father, mother, and their six children, whose family band, orchestra, and dramatic company toured the country.

This is one of the Southern School Assemblies.

and that they cared enough to send a card with a small note attached telling him that he was missed during the holidays.

Another question to ask yourself is that if you are planning to spend your holidays away from home, will you be thoughtful and considerate enough to send your host or hostess a note immediately after your return home, expressing your appreciation for such courteous treatment?

A note of this sort shows you to be a lady or gentleman and when writing that note be careful about your grammar and spelling because this note will represent you.

CONGRATULATIONS

All citizens of Randall County extend

heartly congratulations to the M. E. Moses

Co. on the completion of their new busi-

ness house which is a distinct addition to

the business section of Canyon.

T. A. BLACK

WE GIVE S&H GREEN STAMPS

Civics Classes Take Vocational Tests

About 47 members in the Canyon High School civics classes, consisting mostly of seniors, were given vocational tests in a recent study to determine their ability in various fields of occupations.

Outdoor, mechanical, computational, scientific, persuasive, artistic, literary, musical, social service, and clerical vocations provided the fields from which the tests were judged.

The entire group ranked first in outdoor, second in social service, and third in musical, scientific, and mechanical vocations.

Literary, musical, persuasive, and clerical occupations were the fields in which the students ranked lowest.

Canyon High boys ranked highest in: first, outdoor; second, scientific, social service; and third, clerical and computational work.

They ranked lowest in: first, musical, literary; second, artistic;

and third, persuasive abilities. CHS girls classed first in outdoor; second in mechanical, social service, and third in clerical vocations. Literary, musical, persuasive and computational abilities were the phases of work in which the girls ranked lowest.

These tests help the students in selecting a career upon graduating from high school.

STILL AN OPTIMIST

"Why won't you marry me?" he demanded. "There isn't anyone else, is there?"

"Oh, Edgar," she sighed. "There must be!"

COINCIDENTAL

America is building bigger and faster cars and is also constructing new and more modern hospitals.

THE DIFFICULTY

Our politicians are perfectly familiar with all the questions of the day. The difficulty is that they don't know the answers.

Buy, Build, Live in Canyon!

DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS

RECORDS 3 For \$1.67
ALBUMS 10% OFF
SMALL RADIOS \$22.95 to \$36.95
Regular Value — \$24.95 to \$39.95

RADIO APPLIANCE

Travel the Santa way for your Christmas holiday

Crowded highways or stormy weather will not interfere with your holiday trip when you go Santa Fe.

Santa Fe is the family way to travel. Children under 5 years ride free, under 12 for half fare, when accompanied by an adult. Take along your Christmas bundles, too; 150 lbs. of baggage allowed free with each adult ticket.



Let your Santa Fe Agent arrange your holiday trip.

Give Him a MAN'S Gift for Christmas!



HOME-UTILITY Sander-Polisher Kit \$49.95

HOME-UTILITY 5" Sander-Polisher \$32.95

THOMPSON'S

BLACK & DECKER Home-Utility Electric Tools make perfect gifts! They're EASY to operate — FUN to use — do hundreds of jobs around the house! See big December Home-Utility ads. Come in and try these tools at our store, displaying the BIG SANTA CLAUS CARD!

Gaume-Ambrose Recital Thrills Audience Sunday at College



Last Sunday afternoon the West Texas State College Auditorium echoed the clear ringing notes of the musically talented team of Matilda Gaume and Holmes Ambrose. From the first chords of Miss Gaume's opening number, the Handel "Passacaglia" to the final notes of Holmes Ambrose's closing song, "Silent Noon" by Williams, there was quiet, intense interest.

The audience enjoyed a whole some treat in the program which was arranged slightly different from classical programs. The two faculty members selected a classical program with numbers selected for their creative value for the performer, and for the lasting worth, rather than their quick popularity.

The result was a refreshing program for the audience and the music was presented in such a manner as to challenge and intrigue the audience.

Miss Gaume opened her first group with the four measure theme of the Handel, "Passacaglia." Some of the other selections rendered in this group were Galuppi "Sonata in D" and the Haydn "Andante con Variazioni."

The first group rendered by Mr. Ambrose consisted of five German Art songs. Even though Mr. Ambrose was tusseling with a bad attack of influenza, there was no evidence of it in his singing. Some sensed that his tone quality may have been a little less rich in spots as a result of the influenza attack.

Miss Gaume opened her second group with a Chopin selection, "Nocturne in C Minor." She fol-

lowed this with a rendition of gay musical notes that bore the title of "Polichinelle," followed by "The Girl With The Flaxen Hair," and then a driving Hungarian folk tune by Bartok, "Allegro Barbaro."

Four songs in English by Mr. Ambrose closed the program. He sang of the "Moon" and its reaction to the world it sees. His second concerned a philosophical statement of an old man concerning a busy, curious, thirsty fly. His third number in the final group was "The Green Rain" and then the final number was "Silent Noon," by Williams.

The audience left the building, satisfied that the afternoon had been well spent. Miss Gaume, the accompanist, and Mr. Ambrose, the tenor, have been proclaimed artists of abundant talent. These talents are being lavishly bestowed upon the people of this area.

John Sutherland Bonnell, preacher, said: "There are too few courageous non-conformists."

Karel Truksa, refugee from Czechoslovakia: "I want to go anywhere that I can live without the police."

Couple Honored By Surprise Party 40th Anniversary

The fortieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Batenhorst was celebrated on November 28 in the Batenhorst home. The children gathered at 3 o'clock in the afternoon for the surprise occasion.

At 5 o'clock, a turkey dinner was served on a linen covered table to the honorees and children.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Batenhorst and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Friemel, Mr. and Mrs. John Vorwald and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Batenhorst and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Batenhorst and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Brandt and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Reinhart and son, Mr. and Mrs. Werner Henschied and Father Andrew Marthaler.

Later in the evening, guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clem Friemel, Mr. and Mrs. John Brandt, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rienart.

BONDS FAMILY HAS REUNION ON THANKSGIVING DAY

Fifty-nine members of the Bonds' family enjoyed the annual Thanksgiving buffet style dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bonds Thursday, November 22.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bonds and Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bonds, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tidenburg, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bonds and children, Mrs. Gussie Barnette, Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Bonds, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bonds and Rickie, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bonds and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McDonald and boys, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bonds and Peggy, all of Happy;

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Dalton and boys of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Henson and son, Mrs. G. J. Bonds, Jr. of Amarillo; Mr. Bob Chamblee of Tulsa; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Roark and boys, Mrs. Carrie Bonds, Mrs. Mattie Elrod of Wildorado; Mr. and Mrs. Graham Thornton and Mike of Friona; Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Bonds of Bovina; Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Bonds and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Westfall and Dale, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Abbott of Canyon.

The afternoon was spent playing bingo, hunting and visiting.

WOMEN'S PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY MET RECENTLY

The Women's Presbyterian Auxiliary met at the manse with Mrs. T. Winston Wilbanks as hostess. Nine members and two visitors were present.

Mrs. J. D. Barker led the group in prayer. The group decided to have the annual Christmas party on December 19 and to invite the Home Department to be guests at this occasion. It is to be held at the L. A. Donnell home with Mrs. Nancy McCaslin and Mrs. Donnell as hostesses.

Mrs. McCaslin gave a beautiful devotional on "The Power of Prayer Makes Us Victors Over Sin." Mrs. Donnell gave an inspiring lesson on "Days of Our Youth."

The hostess served lovely refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Umbarger News

Mr. Witham Walterscheid, Edward Walterscheid, J. L. Walterscheid, and E. Feigst, from New Mexico, visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fischbacker.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Brandt, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Friemel, Mr. and Mrs. John Batenhorst, Mr. and Mrs. Norton, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Batenhorst, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Rhinehart visited Mr. and Mrs. John Vorwald.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grabber and family visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Bertrand of St. Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beckman and family visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Glen McKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Batenhorst and family, from Mr. and Mrs. Joe Batenhorst, from Wildorado, visited relatives in Umbarger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wieck visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wieck.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Pinegare, of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ottem visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beckman Sunday.

On Wednesday, November 28, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Batenhorst were honored with a surprise fortieth wedding anniversary supper with relatives and friends attending.

Exchanging visits were: Evelyn Hoffman with Mary Phyllis Beckman; Johnny Batenhorst with Marie Koch; Bernice Prizillas with Sharon Klein; Gracie Artho with Linda Wieck; Mary Hoffman with Anita Fischbacker; Kenneth Artho with Larry Wieck; Willie Wieck with Marcell Fischbacker.

POPULATION

The population of the world is increasing at the rate of 60,000 a day, net, according to the World Health Organization of the United Nations.

Thomas L. Sidlo, chairman, American Bar Association's Public Relations Committee: "The judge and the editor, the lawyer and the reporter, are the nation's watchdogs."

Head of Radio Free Europe urges more Soviet refugee aid.

Program Features Ambrose and Cain

A program featuring Holmes Ambrose of the Department of Music and Wendell Cain of the Department of Speech of West Texas State College will open the Christmas holiday observance for the Woman's Book Club.

The date set for this occasion is December 12, when the members of the Sue Hite Club will be guests of the Woman's Book Club at a tea at Cousins Hall. Time for the tea will be 3-4:30.

The program has been arranged by Mrs. Lee Foster and Mrs. Chas. Harter and hostesses will be Mrs. C. R. Burrow, Mrs. J. A. Hill, Mrs. S. L. Ingham, Mrs. A. W. Sternberg, with Mrs. Clyde Warwick and Mrs. R. A. Neblett as co-hostesses.

When the Book Club held its meeting of November 28 in the museum club room, Mrs. R. A. Bellah, Mrs. L. A. Donnell, and Mrs. T. V. Reeves presented a program on Women in Politics. Margaret Chase Smith of Maine; India Edwards of Washington, D. C.; and Eugenia Anderson, Ambassador to Denmark, were the subjects.

It was announced that the next study program will be January 9, 1952, when Women in Industry will be the subject.

Members present at the last meeting were: Mesdames James P. Cornette, L. A. Donnell, T. V. Reeves, R. A. Bellah, R. A. Neb-

lett, C. R. Burrow, A. B. Holt, C. R. Dowlen, J. W. Kleinschmidt, A. A. Clark, H. A. Brown, Lee Foster, T. H. Knighton, Lee Johnson, A. W. Sternberg, Clyde McElroy, Tom Gooch, Irvin SoRelle, T. B. McCarter, S. H. Condron, Frank Morgan, Walter Graham, G. B. Loudner, H. C. Campfield, and Misses Edna Graham, Mae Simmons, and Darthula Walker.

Piano Recital To Be Presented at Christian Church

Piano students of Mrs. Houston Bright and Mrs. Herman Demus will be presented in a recital at the First Christian Church Monday evening, December 10, at 7:30 p. m.

The following students will play: Judy Roberts, Judy Parsons, Mary Louise Higdon, Dorothy Higdon, Suzanne Lemons, Cathryn Ann Morris, Barbara Brown, Carol Lynn Turner, Connie Wilkins, Helen Hood, Virginia Leake, Linda Burgess, Ann Barnhill, Annette Pond, Valerie Buckingham, Janice Waldrop, Janelle Reynolds, and Velma Lynne Larson.

Anyone interested is most cordially invited to attend.

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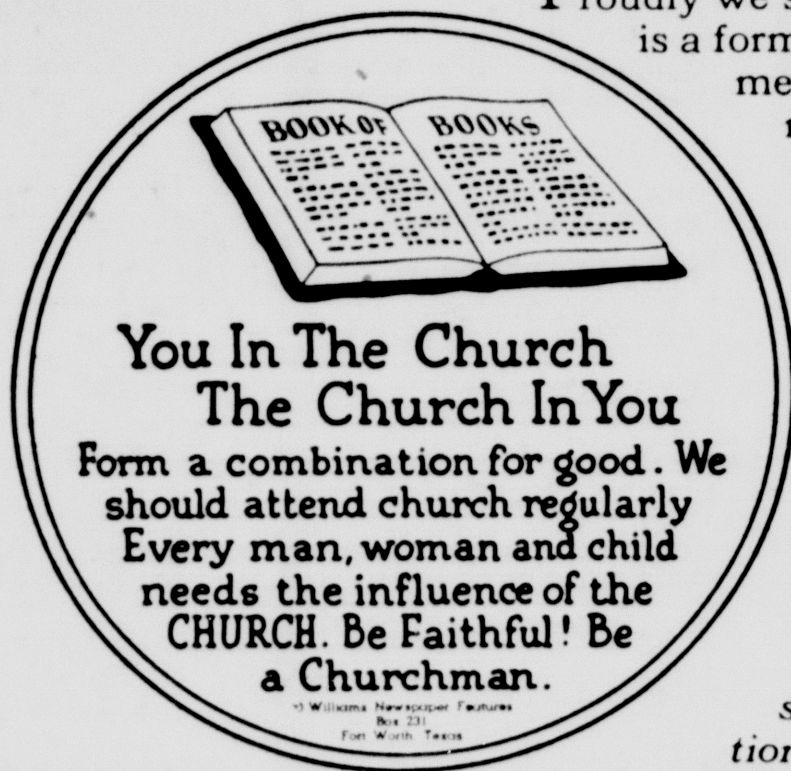
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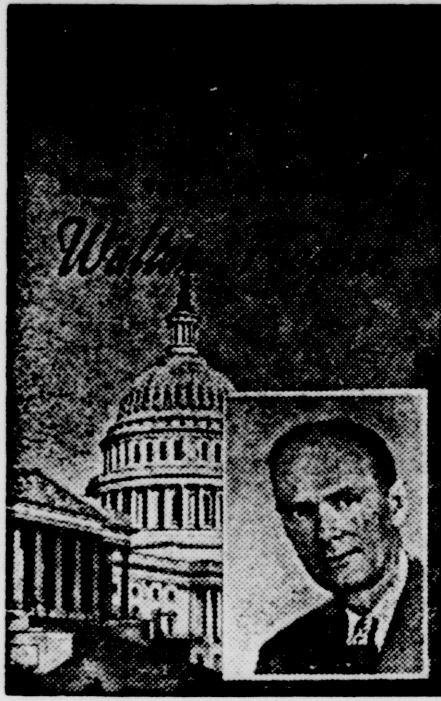
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KOREA: At last some encouraging word is coming from Korea. The present accomplishments are the result of a long and tedious uphill climb and it is still a touch and go proposition. Much progress has been made in negotiations, and let us hope and pray that further progress will be made and a peaceful solution can be effected. There are many things that I could say about this situation, but I shall refrain from so doing for the reason that a wrong word or a misconstrued phrase at this time could easily slow down, if not measurably hinder, continued negotiations. The task is a difficult one and our members of the negotiating team are under a tremendous burden. The success or failure of the entire program is going to depend solely upon the honor of the participating parties. For that reason there should be a clear and definite understanding on all points at issue so that there can be no

misconstruction or misapplication of the terms employed.

Present indications are that an armistice can and will be worked out. However, there is always the possibility that the whole thing could blow sky high without warning. As I told you many months ago, the preparedness program of this country has proceeded pretty well on schedule, and it would certainly be to the best interests of all parties concerned that the war in Korea be ended forthwith.

If Russia and her satellites continue to stand in the way of world peace, they will soon find out that the United States of America does not bluff.

You have probably noticed in the newspapers that the communists do not want to agree to a free inspection behind the lines as suggested by the UN negotiators. It has been suggested that the reason for their opposition to this point is that they do not want the UN forces to have the opportunity to view the many weaknesses incident to their military establishments, and they fear that the Americans will quickly recognize and appraise such weaknesses and that their position in the negotiations would be considerably shaken.

Sincerity of purpose in bringing about a peaceful solution to the problem would seem to me to warrant the provisions requested by the UN team concerning inspection by both sides. This would not only insure full compliance with the terms of a cease-fire agreement but would serve to evidence the honor of both sides in entering into such an agreement.

INVESTIGATIONS: The subcommittee of the House Ways and Means Committee continues to gather evidence of malpractice by a number of employees of the Internal Revenue Department. As fast as this evidence is gathered

Buffalo Cagers Sink the Amjet Quintet 67-51

The West Texas State College Buffaloes racked up a 67-51 victory over the Amarillo Airforce Amjets in the college's new \$400,000 Physical Education building Friday night. An estimated crowd of 2,000 watched the first game for the Buffaloes and the first loss for the Amjets of the season. The Amjets had played three previous games, two with Walker Airforce Base at Roswell, and one with Wayland College.

Austell Burrus bucketed the first 2 points for the Buffaloes and they led the field throughout the entire game. Their lead was never very high until the Amjets began tiring in the second half.

Excessive personal fouls prevented many of the Amjets from completing the game. Bud McLean and Gale McArthur were taken out of the game in the fourth quarter. McArthur remained in the game until the last minute and managed to score 19 of the 51 points racked up by the Amjets.

Jump-shooting Bill Price of Briscoe, Dwaine Stewart of Canyon and Harold Robinson of Bowie were high scoring men for the Buffaloes.

At the end of the first quarter of play the Buffaloes held a three point lead. By half-time they had lengthened the lead to five points and by the end of the third quarter of play the lead had stretched to 8 points.

Although it was the first game for the Buffaloes to play in the new building, it was not the official dedication of the building. This honor was reserved until Monday night when the thundering Buffaloes met the towering Phillips 66ers.

Commissioner Dunlap is swinging the axe to completely cleanse that department of questionable employees and questionable practices.

The way to finally stop such corruption is to go after bribe givers as well as bribe takers, and until this is done, the disease will not be entirely cured. It may be necessary to pass new legislation to properly punish such offenders. This is a matter that is now under consideration by several of us who are in Washington at the present time. You can look for some definite action along this line in the next session of Congress.

CHRISTIANITY VS. ATHEISM: Here is a story I thought you would enjoy. A group of Russian explorers, all atheists, came across a tribe in dark Africa that had formerly been cannibals but had recently subscribed to Christianity.

The chief welcomed the Russians and told them that they need have no fear because his people had become Christians. The leader of the Russians questioned the chief as to what benefits he thought he could gain from Christianity.

The chief replied that it would be difficult to tell all of the good things that Christianity had done for his people but that he was sure it had done a lot for the Russians. The Russian advised the chief that they were all atheists and he could not possibly understand why the chief thought that the adoption of Christianity by the tribe could benefit the Russians.

The chief replied: "If my people had not adopted Christianity, we would be having you folks for dinner, rather than TO dinner."

Christmas Party of Club To Be Dec. 7

Randall County Home Demonstration Club women are having their annual Christmas Party in the basement of the First Baptist Church Friday, December 7, at 2:15 p. m. All club women are cordially invited. Each is expected to bring an apron to fit herself for the gift exchange.

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Most of us remember the old town drunk.

He was treated with scorn. Ministers preached about him, and he was considered an immoral man.

Today scientists — doctors and psychiatrists consider alcoholism as a disease, rather than a matter of morals.

A new organization has been formed in Texas to deal with the problem of alcoholism. The Texas Committee on Alcoholism, Inc. is the name of this group. Joe Carrington of Austin is its president; Al Badger of Dallas is vice president. Other officers are Nelson Brown and Cecil Cabaniss, both of Austin.

Executive committee members of the organization met with the governor last week to discuss its program — specifically, a plan to set up a trust fund to finance treatment of alcoholics at Austin State Hospital.

Alcoholism is an important issue, described as Public Health Problem No. 4.

According to the association's Educational Series No. 1, the disease of alcoholism "is progressive and fatal. Fortunately, the alcoholic addict, who begins in time, may attain normal health and sobriety."

The mere drinking of alcoholic beverages does not make an alcoholic, says the association's bulletin.

Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. of New York has issued a bulletin called "The Alcoholic" which contains some thoughtful information on the subject.

The bulletin quotes the National Committee on Alcoholism that there are about 65 million persons in the United States who drink alcoholic beverages at least occasionally. Of that number, about four million have found that the use of alcohol has constituted a more or less serious problem in their lives.

Of the four million, 750,000 "have drunk uncontrollably to such an extent as to have seriously impaired their physical and mental health. . . . Physicians label this last group definitely as true chronic alcoholics and point out, for example, that there are 50 per cent more of them than are known sufferers from tuberculosis."

The bulletin says that physicians and others who have made a study of alcoholism "realize that there is no point in scolding, shaming,

or urging the use of will power alone because they know that a real alcoholic is himself literally unable to control his drinking. . . . Modern treatment is aimed at helping such alcoholics deal with their problems without the use of alcohol at all."

How do people become alcoholics? Many authorities believe that the alcoholic is the product of unsolved personality difficulties and as yet unknown individual physical peculiarities.

At the root of much problem drinking seems to be an inability to adjust satisfactorily to life. Many alcoholics drink in an attempt to solve some problem which they themselves may not clearly recognize. Many feel unwanted, unloved, frustrated, unsuccessful, angry, fearful — and they hope to escape from these feelings by excessive drinking. They have become dependent on alcohol just to go on living.

What is being done to remedy the situation?

The Texas Committee on Alcoholism charges that the principal task of coping with the problem "is left to the gentle ministrations of policemen, and the facilities provided are patrol wagons, police courts, and vermin — infested jails," and that "present methods of dealing with the problems of alcoholism, with the exception of the miraculous work of Alcoholics Anonymous, are in many cases expensive, sometimes barbaric, and often do not rehabilitate or prevent."

The committee advocates a program involving careful planning, trained personnel, knowledge of the local situation, cooperation of courts, social agencies and hospitals, and financial and constructive support from all sectors of the community."

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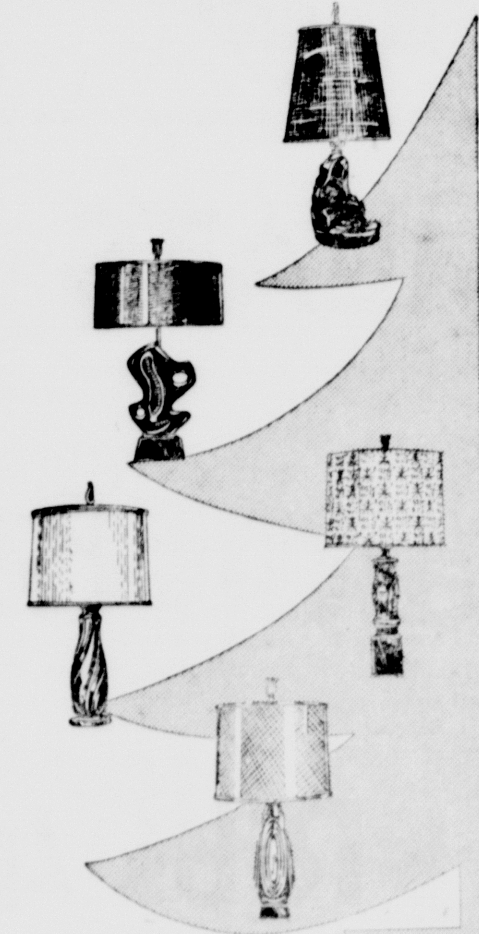
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